Today

Mr. Kellogg in California
T. R. on Japan
War, With Comic Opera
War Money Scarce

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

HEARST RANCH, San Simeon, Cal., Feb. 5—Mr. Frank B. Kellogg, formerly Secretary of State, a visitor at this ranch, drove up from Los Angeles yesterday, in his 16-cylinder Cadillac, bringing this writer and Mr. James Dixon, of Los Angeles.

Mr. Kellogg believes that prohibition will play a most important part in the next campaign, also that the nations of the world can be influenced only by public opinion. Therefore, no messages, protests or entreaties, sent privately, can exert any influence. Publicity is necessary.

The former Secretary of State, in excellent health, face ruddy, hair thick, complaining of speed laws that will not allow him to drive 70 miles an hour, shows no signs of his 75 years, that include 55 years of hard work.

All the talk everywhere is about the Japanese war in which China plays the part of the punching bag.

Newspapers republish Theodore Roosevelt's letter to President Taft, written in 1910, saying, "**Our vital interest is to keep the Japanese out of our country and at the same time to preserve the good will of Japan. The vital interest of Japan, on the other hand, is in Manchuria and Korea.**"

Warning Taft against "taking any steps as regards Manchuria which will give the Japanese cause to feel that we are hostile to them," Theodore Roosevelt added: "**If the Japanese choose to follow a course of conduct to which we are adverse, we can not stop it, unless we are prepared to go to war; and a successful war about Manchuria would require a fleet as good as that of England, plus an army as good as that of Germany.**"

Roosevelt in 1910, had no thought of airplanes, could not imagine that Japan would be conquering Manchuria with them, at her ease. Otherwise he might have suggested a flock of fighting planes as numerous as the pigeons on Saint Mark's sq., in Venice, backed by a fleet of submarines as great as that of Japan.

Two conflicting statements in yesterday's news would interest Roosevelt. one said that if Japan continues ignoring our pitiful appeals to "be good," American citizens in China will be moved to Manila, and protected there, on American home grounds.

Another report said this country and England would join in another protest.

It seems clear that Japan has adopted a program and proposes to go through with it, wisely concluding that no western country will do more than talk.

While you read rather dry "copy," about Shanghai, conditions are not pleasant there. Bombs are dropping from planes, on crowded city quarters. Japanese battleships are sending explosive shells into the city.

Many human beings, including women and children, are blown to pieces.

There are features of comic opera in the proceedings. While the bombarding and killing proceed, the Japanese commanding admiral is told that Uncle Sam's fighting ship Houston has appeared at the mouth of the river.

Immediately the Japanese admiral commanding "breaks out" an American flag, at his masthead, while the band on the Houston plays the Japanese national anthem.

Mr. Mellon's appointment as ambassador to England will interest the country. The arrival of the "second richest man in the world," President Harding's description of Mr. Mellon, will not leave the British cold. Perhaps he will endow something, or several things, since his boy went to a British university.

Perhaps he will find a way for Britain to "welch with honor."

Concerning the propaganda statement that cancellation of Europe's debts to America would restore Europe's prosperity, and make all hands happy, you will be interested in this statement of a distinguished and well-informed American statesman: "If Europe's nations paid in full what they borrowed from us in war, it would not make a difference of 3 per cent in the budget of any one of them."

American and English bankers announce that their minds and pockets are "closed to war loans." Not a dollar or a diminished pound for fighting. Japan, it is said, has arrangements with France that will take care of Japanese borrowing, and some of our many barrels of United States gold coin, sent to France, may be nicely hoarded in the homes of Japanese soldiers' widows.

British and American bankers, when they hear "foreign bonds" mentioned, tremble violently, recalling an incident related by a distinguished New York merchant. He enjoyed, at rare intervals, before prohibi-

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GIBBONS PICTURES BIG BATTLE; U.S. TROOPS COME AS JAPS LAND ARMY

WEATHER
Fair tonight and Saturday, warmer Saturday, fresh north west winds diminishing and becoming southerly Saturday. Minimum temperature tonight near 20. High tide, 10:10 a. m., 10:48 p. m. Sun rises, 6:35; sets, 5:02.

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SPORTING LATEST STOCKS

FIRE FLASHES IN 4 TUNNEL STATIONS

Thousands Get Snow Jobs

BIG DAMAGE PILED UP BY STORM

Trains Derailed, Autos Stalled, Trees and Wires Down, 2 Dead, Many Hurt

The heavy snowfall derailed three railroad trains near Boston today, marooned several hundred auto parties and cause l traffic snarls, numerous accidents and two deaths, while thousands of unemployed found work clearing streets in Boston and throughout New England.

The derailments were on the Boston & Maine, one on the Medford branch, the other two at the Massachusetts ave. crossing in Arlington Center, where motor and trolley traffic was badly jammed as a result.

Police were busy from 2 a. m. to long after daybreak reseuing couples stalled in drifts in automobiles on the International highway in Revere, the Spot Pond road in the Middlesex Fells and many other places. These cars and scores parked in Boston and the suburbs had to be abandoned.

5000 STORM JOB BUREAU

A Malden family narrowly escaped death or serious injury when a 90-foot oak toppled and wrecked the front o fthe house at 111 Granite ave., occupied by Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mowat and three children.

More than 5000 men seeking snow-shoveling jobs stormed the Municipal Employment Bureau at 25 Church st., and extra police were summoned to keep them in line.

Many streets in the suburbs were completely blocked by snarled wires, trees and poles, all down as a result of the wind and heavy, wet snow.

Dead in a snowbank, Charles E. Breen, 55, store proprietor, was

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Safe Robbers Get $200 in Roxbury

Entering by a front window which they jimmied open during the storm early today, thieves got $200 from a safe in the new building occupied by the Coleman & Keating Ginger Ale Co., 1705 Columbus ave., Roxbury.

They knocked the combination off this safe and another. A third safe, which was open, contained onl books and papers and these the thives scattered about the office.

Killed Two; Dies

Three Rivers, Que., Feb. 5 (AP)—Convicted slayer of an aged Nicolet farmer and a young girl, Joseph Lebel, alias Michand, was hanged today.

Good News

In the Day's News

(Further details elsewhere in this edition)

WESTERN Massachusetts Companies report earnings for past year netted $2,713,108, close to previous year's.

BRADSTREETS report of bank clearings for past week indicates increase in dollar volume of business.

R. G. DUN & CO. report improvement in woolen and shoe industries.

Tax Shock Looms!

—By B. C. FORBES—

THE people of this country had better prepare themselves for a tax shock on March 15.

Income tax payments will show a most sensational decrease.

Last year the government received from individuals income taxes totalling $473,689,563. Of this, $396,567,356 came from citizens who had incomes of $25,000 or more.

I know no rich man who did not during 1931 sell enough securities at enough loss to bring his taxable income down to only a fraction of the previous amount.

Not only Washington, but everybody interested in seeing the government properly supplied with funds, will be dumbfounded when the March 15 payments are footed up. The shrinkage will exceed the most pessimistic estimates and will hurl a staggering problem at Congress.

THE drastic drop in payments by individuals will be seriously aggravated by the decline in tax receipts from corporations. Last year these reached $618,246,431. Corporate profits shrivelled so much during 1931 that

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GIRL, TWO MEN HURT IN CRASH

Two men and a girl were badly injured early today when the machine in which they were riding on Commonwealth ave., near Dartmouth st., crashed into a car operated by Thomas L. Shipman, Harvard medical student.

The victims were Margaret Veno, 19, of Mohan st., Everett; her brother, Ronald, and Charles Lewis of Josephine ave., Somerville.

The girl is suffering from concussion of the brain and lacerations of the face. Her brother has possible internal injuries and Lewis received a compound fracture of the right leg and a broken ankle.

The accident occurred at the height of the storm, both drivers being partially blinded by the falling snow. The Veno car, tipped over by the impact, pinned the victims beneath it and several passers-by worked for a half-hour to free them.

Woman as President

Lindsborg, Kan., Feb. 5 (AP)—Six years in the employ of the Farmers' State Bank has placed Miss Ebba Forrberg 45, in the position of president of the institution, which has resources of $600,000.

NEAR PANIC AS FUMES FILL STATIONS

Women and Girls Become Hysterical When Short Circuit Blasts Echo in Tunnel

More than 1000 persons, mostly women and girls, were thrown into panic during the morning rush hour today when dozens of explosions sent nauseating smoke into Washington st. and South Station Under stations of the Cambridge tunnel.

The first was at Washington st., where an insulator burned out and sheets of flame enveloped a Dorchester-bound train.

The flame raced along the track to South Station Under and reached a train unloading passengers.

Simultaneously the inbound tracks at both stations short-circuited, causing explosions at the rate of one every few seconds.

Elevated guards threw the doors open on two outbound and two inbound trains, one at each platform in each station.

WOMEN HYSTERICAL

Shouts to clear the trains and make for the street were lost in the screams of the terrified passengers.

The crush at the train doors caused many women to become hysterical in spite of others who hollowed "Keep cool."

A telephone alarm and one from the box in Dewey sq. brought firstand to both stations and ambulance calls were sent to police of Lagrange st., Milk st., Hanver st. and East Dedham st., stations, but no hospital cases were found.

The choking smoke nauseated many, however, as they fought their way to the clear air of the street.

CRIPPLES SYSTEM

The blasts, to a lesser degree reached the Broadway and Andrew sq. stations also. Five blasts greeted an inbound train at the latter station and three at the Broadway station.

There, too, passengers became frightened and the cars were emptied. The smoke did not rise as it did in the other stations, however.

Elevated officials "broke out" the faulty insulator at Washington st. and extinguished the burning insulation.

The accident crippled the entire rapid transit system from the Ashmont station in Dorchester to the other end at Harvard sq., Cambridge.

The delay caused thousands of others to be late for work and stations of the entire system were packed to capacity with passengers who could do nothing but wait.

El officials said the insulator burned out as a result of snow and water dripping from train wheels. The water contacted the third rail with the insulator and spread to the other station, due to accumulated moisture in the tunnel.

Balances and Receipts

Washington, Feb. 5.—Today's Treasury balance, $836,833,121; U. S. Customs receipts, $5,491,550.

Boy Is Shot at Shop Door as 'Bandit'

Giovanni Morgardi, 65, a gunsmith in Staniford st., West End, showing how he fired through the glass door of his shop early today as two youths he feared were burglars stood there rattling the latch after he'd motioned them away. John Crory, 16, was wounded, probably fatally, and was taken to Haymarket Relief Hospital by Carl Wilson. The gunsmith is held.

Story and other picture on Page 13.)

First Air Duel Opens in Battle for Shanghai

BULLETIN

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (AP)—Japanese airplanes rained bombs on a Chinese troop train moving into Chapei today, taking heavy toll.

London, Feb. 5 (INS)—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Shanghai this afternoon said the Japanese claim they have captured Chapei.

By DIXON HOSTE

International News Correspondent

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (INS)—Japanese artillery this afternoon opened a heavy bombardment of a Chinese residential district between their lines and the Chinese.

At the same time the first air battle between Chinese and Japanese since hostilities began at Shanghai was fought on the outskirts of Chapei.

An undetermined number of Chinese planes, arriving from Nanking during the night, went into action against seven Japanese bombers returning from a raid over the Chapei district.

One Japanese plane is known to have crashed. A second Japanese plane was reported shot down by Chinese anti-aircraft fire.

Between three and four thousand Japanese troops were landed at daybreak today on the Yangtze river bank between Liuhe and Paoshan, northwest of Woosung, to reinforce the Japanese marines and blue-jackets already engaged in action.

During today's big battle sounds of heavy firing could be heard from the direction of the Chungshan road which encircles Shanghai. Whole districts in Chapei, directly north of the International Settlement, are burning.

EXCLUSIVE!

AIR, LAND AND NAVAL BATTLE VIVIDLY TOLD BY GIBBONS

Following is the latest dispatch sent from Shanghai to the Boston Evening American by its special representative, Floyd Gibbons, famous war correspondent.

By FLOYD GIBBONS

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Shanghai, Feb. 5 (INS)—The Shanghai business section shook and reverberated to the shocks of heavy explosions this afternoon as the Chinese-Japanese conflict ringed the International City with a circle of bursting bombs, hurtling projectiles and withering volleys of machine-gun lead.

Floyd Gibbons

Air, land and sea forces all engaged in the fiercest fighting, with the issue still undecided, as both belligerents made conflicting claims of victory.

At least one Japanese plane was brought down, although dozens still are flying through the mists over downtown streets, with heavy bombs visible in the racks under the lower wings, while thousands of faces, white and yellow, are lifted skyward toward the death and destruction hovering above.

No misdirected Japanese bombs landed in the International Concession, but Chinese anti-aircraft missiles are falling in neutral territory, sometimes exploding, but more often not.

2000 JAP TROOPS ON HAND

The Japanese transport ship Mamiya Maru landed 1000 troops on the south bank of the Yangtze between the Woosung forts and the village of Paoshan, while another transport, the Kaya Maru, stood by, ready to unload another thousand infantrymen.

Howitzers, field guns and machine guns were taken from the Mamiya Maru and prepared for action against the Chinese.

The arrival of the two transports, Mamiya Maru and Kaya Maru, with 2000 Japanese troop reinforcements, was exclusively announced in International News Service dispatches from Shanghai yesterday afternoon).

Armed patrols of all different nationalities, afoot, mounted and packed in motor trucks, cruise streets packed with a hundred thousand refugees. Rickshaw coolies, barefooted in spite of the sudden severe cold and drawing enormous loads of household goods, are herded and hurried on by tall, bearded Sikh policemen using clubs for speed.

Hi li, Hi lo, Evlybody Velly Solly!

By FLOYD GIBBONS

Shanghai, Feb. 5.

The British protested this morning when shells dropped into their zone of the International Settlement. In response to the protest one Chinese and one Japanese junior officer arrived at the British headquarters to apologize.

The British didn't know whether the objectionable missiles were of Japanese or Chinese origin. Neither did the apologetic messengers, but it was their duty to apologize, so they did.

The Chinese military apologist said:

"Velly solly gunners on our anti-aircraft gun make mistake mathematics firing on Japanese plane. Velly solly. Now find mistake and correct figures."

The Japanese military apologist said:

"Please pardon, but our gunners make slight error in elevation of cannon firing on Chinese station. Shell go high, miss station, fall your zone. Very sorry. Locate error in firing data. Now lower range."

The British officer, accepting both apologies for the same shells, said:

"You boys make me feel velly sorry I can't apologize to you and invite you to have the next shell on me."

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FLAGS OF ALL NATIONS

The choppy surface of the Whangpoo opposite the bund is covered with launches, sampans, ocean liners, ferry boats, tramp steamers, barges and Chinese junks as dispatch boats, destroyers and river gunboats churn the

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GIBBONS PICTURES ARRIVAL OF U. S. TROOPS AT SHANGHAI

LANDING OF 31ST REGT. HELD UP OVERNIGHT TO AVOID CLASH WITH CHINESE AND JAPS

A United States marine and a native Chinese boy in tatters formed what seemed like a lasting friendship when they met in Shanghai. The youngster, quite oblivious of the trouble between his country and Japan, is gaily offering the marine a cooling drink. (International Newsreel photo.)

By FLOYD GIBBONS

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waters, flying flags of all nations.

A heavy artillery fire continues late this afternoon.

A strong wind from the sea is fanning many fresh fires, carrying a thick column of smoke as well as burnt paper down into the faces of Nanking road shoppers.

Foreign garrison commanders are considering suggesting the placing of neutral garrison at the Woosung forts to keep the Shanghai port open and at the same time guarantee the safety of shipping.

The port now is suggestive of World War days, lacking only the camouflaged sides of ships. In addition to regularly flying the flags of their own countries, foreign ship masters have painted great flags on the sides of their ships to insure their identity will be known and to prevent being fired upon off Woosung. Many American ships are decorated in this way, with "Old Glory" displayed at once on the masts and sides of ships.

JAP PLANE DOWNED

Just before noon a Japanese two-seater bomber was brought down 1000 yards northwest of the American lines. The plane was engaged in bombing a Chinese artillery position on the Shanghai-Nanking railroad, in full view of our marines.

The bomber was flying at a 2500-foot altitude when it suddenly was surrounded by bursts of anti-aircraft fire. The machine nosed up, seemed to hang for a moment, and then went into a left-hand slow spin downward.

The Japanese pilot and observer both stuck to the ship, neither using his parachute. They apparently forgot to release explosives in the bomb packs under the lower wing of the plane, because our marine observers saw a terrific explosion when the plane crashed to the ground by the village of Taukawan, close by the Yank lines.

This was the first plane actually seen downed by foreign observers.

Shells exchanged by Japanese and Chinese battling for Chapei exploded behind the lines of the U. S. marines in the International Settlement.

The bombardment is driving the remaining Chinese residents of Chapei like rats out of holes. Soochow Creek, boundary line between the embattled area and the International Settlement, is solid with the junks of refugees.

Each flimsy boat carries upwards of 50, so at any one point the creek might be said to be bridged by 200 fear driven souls.

The men herd the women, carrying babies, dogs, chickens, and pieces of their household belongings under their arms. Now and then one of the less stout hearted darts from the crowd to take shelter in a doorway as a Japanese bombing plane passes overhead in the direction of the Chinese lines.

U. S. TROOPS ARRIVE

The United States troop ship Chaumont docked at 6 o'clock tonight on the north shore of the Whangpoo river, bringing 1000 men of the 31st Infantry and 100 marines from Manila.

The American transport warped alongside the Chinese Merchants' docks under the guns of a Japanese destroyer moored in midstream.

The khaki-clad Yanks, on the decks and superstructure, wearing the old felt campaign hats, their upturned faces tanned by the tropical Philippine sun, watched heavy Japanese bombing seaplanes with their bomb racks loaded with death-dealing missiles sail high above the Chaumont on the way to drop bombs on the Chinese city.

Moored at thes dock astern of the Chaumont's berth is a squat, dark gray Japanese troopship which arrived this morning with several thousand Nippon blue-jacket reinforcements straight from Japan.

The ship unloaded tons of equipment and supplies, as well as large cannon and three-inch field pieces.

YANKS SHIVER IN COLD

Tall, bearded East Indian Sikhs, with heads bound by yellow turbans, herded Chinese coolies within shipyards, while the streets beyond the yards swarmed with full-armed patrols of Japanese sailors with bayoneted rifles.

The Yanks, pressing against the rails of the Chaumont on crowded decks, shivered in their overcoats, unaccustomed to the severe cold after the Philippine heat. To their ears came sounds of bursting shells and exploding bombs in the Chinese city, where the battle fury was increasing not a mile away.

French, Italian, British and Portuguese officers mingled on the dock with waiting United States marine and navy officers in a medley of international uniforms, while up and down the crowded river lanes freighters ferryboats, coal barges, Chinese junks and sampans all pushed and crowded.

This was the scene on a cold, misty late afternoon when the Yanks of the 31st Division looked longingly ashore and asked:

"Where do we go from here?"

WILL LAND TOMORROW

But the eager doughboys, all rigged out in full equipment and heavy marching order, pressing against the Chaumont's side rails, are due for a disappointment.

There will be no thrill of a new town for them tonight—no excitement of combat, none of the widely reputed lights of Shanghai's "Little Paris," because debarkation has been postponed until 8 o'clock in the morning.

The doughboys may not like it, but this arrangement is certainly welcome news to Americans in Shanghai, who realize that debarkation tonight would have necessitated entire detachments having to march through the Japanese defense zone, in which hundreds of Chinese snipers have operated during the last four days, and the possibilities of some untoward incident or a clash either with Chinese irregulars or Japanese patrols by mistake in the dark were sufficiently strong to demand wise consideration.

Col. R. S. Hooker, commanding the Fourth regiment of marines, was the first man up the Chaumont's gangplank, followed by his aides and staff.

He was received on the bridge by Col. Gasser, commanding the 31st.

HOOKER TO LEAD

Hooker of the marines is senior of Gasser of the regular army, so it is probable the former will command the combined marine and regular forces ashore as a marine commanded the second division in France.

Cols. Gasser and Hooker and their staffs conferred and plans were laid out for debarkation tomorrow morning.

The Yanks aboard the Chaumont were greatly excited and keen and eager concerning the war scare and the thrill of their sudden midnight departure from Manila, but more thrilled by the first actual sight of hostilities they witnessed at noon when the transport passed the ruins of the Woosung forts at the mouth of the Whangpoo river.

They saw river banks and retaining walls pitted and pockmarked with craters from air bombs and naval shells and the lifeless bodies of Chinese soldiers lying unburied on the beach.

They saw the shattered roofs, gaping walls and burning homes of the village of Wusung located on a creek one mile north of the forts.

They saw bodies floating in the river along the Chaumont's sides.

Japanese naval guns laid off while the Chaumont steamed slowly by, but planes continued their bombing operations inland while doughboys and gobs from the rigging and officers with binoculars on the bridge followed the flight of the planes and watched the bombs falling below.

MARCH TO QUARTERS

They will march to quarters in the "New World" exhibition building at Nanking and Tibet roads in the business section. An additional 70 marines, comprising the headquarters detachment from the U. S. S. Houston, landed on the bund at 8 a. m. today.

The Dollar Line's offices received a rush of applicants for passage on the President Grant, expected to depart from here for Hongkong tomorrow, but it is now booked to capacity, with all berths of all classes filled up. Four or five hundred were disappointed when they failed to get passage.

The applicants are mostly wives and children of foreign residents, about half of them American. Menfolk, heads of families, and business representatives are remaining.

The President McKinley, expected to leave here tomorrow for Kobe, en route to Seattle, also is fully booked. British steamers bound for Hong Kong, Manila, or other points of the Far East also are fully booked.

UPHOLD U. S. PRESTIGE

Morning papers brought word the evacuation of foreigners from Nanking had commenced, but the same papers carried the reassurance of American Consul-General Cunningham that it was not necessary to evacuate Americans from Shanghai.

Foreign groups in hotel lobbies, clubs, and shipping offices are divided on the subject of evacuation.

Some hold that it is better to evacuate the Americans in Shanghai than to expose the whole nation to the danger of being brought into war, while others maintain such a peace move would be unbecoming and unfitting to the dignity of the United States as a world power.

They say that if it were once made it would be a serious blow to American prestige and to the outposts of all essential American foreign trade around the world and particularly in the Far East.

Japanese destroyers patrolling the west bank of the Whangpoo river between here and Woosung are reported to be machine-gunning and light-shelling all traffic on the Chinese road running alongside the river bank (I got caught out on that road last night in a futile attempt to reach Woosung).

The American flagship Houston and destroyers are located at several buoys and docks down the river, keeping steam up prepared to shift their berths if the fighting approaches.

Several shells, believed to be Japanese long-range "overs," fell near the customs magazine on the east bank of the Whangpoo, imperiling that vicinity by a possible explosion. The magazine is stocked with TNT.

The American and British sections of the International Settlement are being strengthened, volunteers stringing fresh barbed wire entanglements along Soochow Creek.

The crack white Russian detachment patrols its sector calmly. These Russians, maintained by the Shanghai Municipal Council as its army, are mostly former officers in the Czar's Imperial Army. They are all seasoned veterans. All have spent at least 10 years fighting. They will give a good account of themselves in the event of fighting.

Here is a summary of the complicated mess which is getting hotter hourly as communication lines grow fewer and the rumors wilder.

Chinese reinforcements, brought hurriedly from the north overnight, have succeeded in dislodging and pushing back Japanese sailors, who managed to advance into the eastern fringes of the Chinese section, thrusting in the direction of the North station.

The Chinese and Japanese artillery duel is increasing in intensity as new supplies reach the gunners of both sides. The Chinese are effectively employing guns of the highest calibers. Some heavy field pieces are belching out shells on the railroad to the west of the Chinese city.

Japanese bombing planes have increased in number above the city. They are raining down bombs on the fire-scarred ruins of the native quarter, but are failing to dislodge the Chinese defenders.

Fires in both the Chinese city and Japanese zone of the International Settlement, after burning all night, appear to be spreading. The increased artillery activity prevents all efforts to fight the flames, now fed by gas streaming out of mains broken by air bombs.

American tourists aboard the President McKinley are expected today. Under present conditions, the McKinley must sail up the Whangpoo through the machine gunning and shelling, which has already so disrupted all river traffic that shipping schedules have gone by the board.

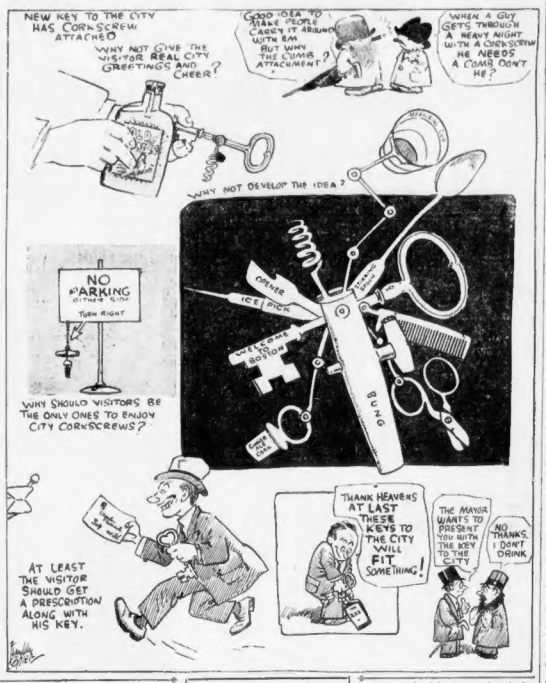
Stacked Cards, Loaded Dice, Says Gibbons

By FLOYD GIBBONS

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (INS)—A rumor today had it that Japanese planes were dropping leaflets written in Chinese characters stating that American troops had arrived "as Japan's allies to fight with the Japanese against the Chinese war lords and deliver China from military tyranny."

Ch boy! What a gambling joint this is, with stacked cards and loaded dice and mirrors behind the visitor's chair. It's a great time to say nothing and play 'em close to the vest and be ready for anything if the lights go out.

Welcome to Our City -:- By FRANKLIN COLLIER


NEW KEY TO THE CITY HAS CORKSCREW ATTACHED
WHY NOT GIVE THE VISITOR REAL CITY GREETINGS AND CHEER?
GOOD IDEA TO MAKE PEOPLE CARRY IT AROUND WITH 'EM
BUT WHY THE CORK-SCREW ATTACHMENT?
WHEN A GUY GETS THROUGH A HEAVY NIGHT WITH A CORKSCREW HE NEEDS A CORK, DON'T HE?
WHY NOT DEVELOP THE IDEA?
NO PARKING EITHER SIDE TURN RIGHT
OPENER
ICE PICK
WELCOME BOSTON
BUNG
WHY SHOULD VISITORS BE THE ONLY ONES TO ENJOY CITY CORKSCREWS?
AT LEAST THE VISITOR SHOULD GET A PRESCRIPTION ALONG WITH HIS KEY.
THANK HEAVENS AT LAST THESE KEYS TO THE CITY WILL FIT SOMETHING!
THE MAYOR WANTS TO PRESENT YOU WITH THE KEY TO THE CITY
NO THANKS, I DON'T DRINK

Soviet Troops Mass at Vladivostok

Tokio, Feb. 5 (INS)—Seventy thousand Russian troops are massed in Vladivostok, Siberia, near the Manchurian border, presumably in view of the Japanese advance on Harbin.

This was revealed by the passengers of the S. S. Amakusa Maru, which arrived at Tsuruga today.

Martial law has been enforced in the Siberian city and 400 White Russians, often accused of backing Japanese aims, were arrested there Tuesday.

Vladivostok sentries fired upon Japanese Tuesday night, the travelers reported.

JAPANESE ARMY FIGHTS ITS WAY INTO HARBIN

Gen. Jiro Tamon's Troops Finally Occupy City After a Week of Stubborn Battles

Harbin, Manchuria, Feb. 5 (AP)—Gen. Jiro Tamon today finally occupied Harbin, last important stand of the Chinese in Manchuria, after almost a week of sanguinary battles with the troops of Gen. Ting Chao.

At daybreak Tamon's men were marching into the city, occupying all the public offices and the strategic defensive points. Thousands of Japanese residents greeted them with cheers.

This morning a Japanese armored train steamed into the Harbin station of the Chinese Eastern Railway and took possession. Tingchao and his staff were in flight toward Acheng, 25 miles southeast of Harbin.

Although the Chinese stubbornly resisted Tamon's advance, the headquarters of Gen. Ting were deserted when the Japanese finally occupied the city. Harbin is the headquarters of the Chinese Eastern Railway, jointly owned by Russia and China.

The last stage of the Japanese attack was a terrific artillery bombardment last night, in which several Japanese shells exploded near the headquarters building of the railway, and caused Soviet officials of the road to hold an emergency meeting to consider the situation.

The Chinese placed field guns in an open area directly in front of the railway headquarters and opened fire in reply to Japanese attacks.

American, European and Japanese residents of Harbin were believed safe.

Chinese troops were reported from Changhun, Manchuria, to be advancing toward Tsitsihar.

Japanese airplanes inflicted heavy casualties on Gen. Ting's fleeing troops. Most of these were apparently heading for Pinhsien, 60 miles east of Harbin, where it was believed Gen. Ting would attempt to establish headquarters.

Smith's Statement Arouses Interest

New York, Feb. 5 (INS)—Political circles were stirred today by the "political statement" which ex-Governor Alfred E. Smith planned to issue tomorrow.

Despite many reports he would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President this year, Smith as yet has withheld announcement of his attitude.

CHINESE SPEAR FALLEN JAP AVIATORS

No Mercy for Bombers; Chinese Are Using Old Planes, Report

By FLOYD GIBBONS.

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (INS)—China appeared today to have brought fighting airplanes into play in her conflict with Japan, but the actual extent of air force activity was cloaked in mystery.

Mayor Wu Te-Chen of Shanghai officially denied that Chinese airplanes were participating in the battle, but reports that eight Chinese planes had arrived at Hungjau airport just outside of Shanghai persisted.

PLANE SHOT DOWN

I have just talked with one American, who swears he was at the airdrome when a cripple Chinese fighting plane, Vought-Corsair model, the same as is used in the American Navy, landed with its wings and fuselage full of bullet holes and its Chinese pilot fainting at the stick from loss of blood. My informant said this lad was shot down in a battle with two Japanese planes.

One Japanese plane was shot down by Chinese anti-aircraft fire in view of American marine observers only 800 yards away.

As the plane crashed, Chinese infantry groups wriggled across the ground and finished the fallen aviators with bayonet thrusts. Japanese aviators aloft tried to get to the assistance of their fallen comrades by swooping over the spot and raking the ground with machine-gun fire to drive off the Chinese.

This setback for the Japanese caused the Chinese to stage a riotous celebration, erroneously accrediting the victory to some unnamed and entirely mythical Chinese "richthofen," and was chiefly responsible for widespread reports that the Chinese were offering concerted aerial resistance to the Japanese onslaught.

Another report said a young Chinese pilot took up an old plane at 5 a. m. The craft buckled at an altitude of 2000 feet and crashed behind the Chinese lines, bursting into flames and killing the pilot.

Brighton Safe Robbed

Thieves broke into the office of the Edison Products Company, Commonwealth ave., Brighton, early today, ripped open a safe and took $25 in cash.

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tion, "just a little rye whiskey."

Once, when he had a cold, his mild tonic was administered and swallowed before he realized that there was castor oil with the whiskey. He could not bear whiskey from that moment. "It always reminded me of castor oil," said he.

Foreign loans remind the bankers of things worse than castor oil.

If Japan is not able to borrow from France, the French being no reckless lenders, it will be necessary, if war continues, to finance it by selling Japan's "liquid securities," mainly United States stocks and bonds. They are not as liquid as they once were, and their sudden liquidation would not add to Wall Street gayety.

Los Angeles reports a new plan in searching for victims of air accidents. Planes seeking out victims of a passenger airship, lost in the Tehachapi Mountains, carry aerial cameras to photograph the territory covered in their flight. Photographs, enlarged, and carefully studied, will reveal, among trees, rocks and in gullies, innumerable details, not visible to fliers.

A Universal Service bulletin, arriving here at 5 P. M. yesterday, reports the missing Century Pacific airliner found 13 miles from Ft. Tejon, in the Tehachapis, the pilot, three women and four men passengers, all dead.

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PEOPLE *Who Interest You and What They Are Doing*

Juanita Hansen Seeks New Beauty in Plastic Surgery

Hollywood, Feb. 5—Juanita Hansen, former motion picture favorite, who is here to re-establish herself on the screen, announced that she will undergo a plastic surgery operation shortly.

The operation, she said, is to efface scars she said she received from hot water in a New York hotel shower bath.

Miss Hansen stated she feels her career depends on their correction.

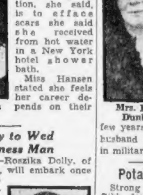
Juanita Hansen

Roszika Dolly to Wed Chicago Business Man

Paris, Feb. 5—Roszika Dolly, of the Dolly sisters, will embark once more on the seas of matrimony next month, Irving Netcher is the man.

It has been learned that the stage favorite, known in the casinos of Europe as a big winner at baccarat, will be divorced from Sir Mortimer Davis, Canadian tobacco magnate, this month.

In March she Roszika Dolly will go to Italy to marry Netcher, wealthy Chicago department store owner. Netcher was divorced in 1930 from Constance Reed.

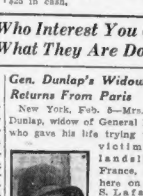


Gen. Dunlap's Widow Returns From Paris

New York, Feb. 5—Mrs. R. H. Dunlap, widow of General Dunlap, who gave his life trying to save victims in a landslide in France, arrived here on the S. S. Lafayette with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Woods.

Both Mrs. Dunlap and Mrs. Woods are prominent in Washington, D. C., society. They intend to remain in the United States indefinitely.

Mrs. Dunlap spent the last few years in Paris, where her late husband had become well known in military and political circles.



Mrs. R. H. Dunlap

Potatoes Dug in Winter

Strong City, Kan., Feb. 5—Alex Gibb, farmer, who spent the last week of 1931 harvesting potatoes, said they are still in excellent condition.

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SIX WOMEN TESTIFY AS GRAND JURY PROBES GANG KILLING

WOLEN SLAYING EVIDENCE IS HEARD

Malden Telephone Girl, Friendly With Berger, Is Among Number Questioned

Five women and a girl were called before the Suffolk grand jury today to give evidence in connection with the murder of "Little Harry" Wolen, New York gangster, in Winthrop three weeks ago.

Jack Berger and Arthur Veluci, both of New York, are charged with the murder although Berger a confession, which is in evidence, relates that Veluci first shot him and he then killed Wolen and wounded Veluci.

Marion Gentile, 16-year-old high school girl, and Mrs. Catherine H. Deroo, both of 85 Main st., Winthrop, who took Berger to the hospital, were called.

Another witness was Helen Toolan, Malden exchange phone operator, who lives in Union st., Everett, and was friendly with Berger.

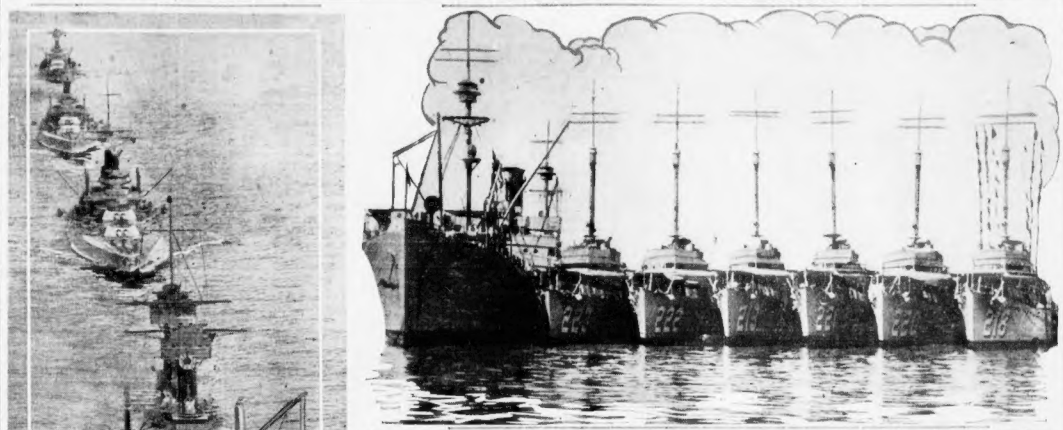
The other women were Mrs. Margaret McLaughlin of 60 Navarre ave, and Catherine C. Cutchfield of 349 Revere st., both of Winthrop, who found the one gun with which police allege all the shooting was done, and Mrs. Lena Minsk of 29 Union st., Everett, with whom Wolen boarded.

Other witnesses were Medical Examiner George B. Magrath, Capt. Charles A. Van Ambrugh, Police Capt. Archibald M. Campbell, Inspector James A. Dennessey and Police Stenogranner William Shanahan.

The grand jury on Monday will take up the murders of Frankie Gustin and Bernard Walsh, of the Gustin gang, in the North End Dec. 22.

FLEET SAILS PREPARED FOR FOE

Allen's Attempts to Halt Sister's "Affair" Bared



The destroyer tender Black Hawk, shown with some of her "brood" of destroyers at the naval base at Manila before they were ordered to rush to Shanghai under full steam. The destroyers are now at Shanghai. They will protect Americans in the war-torn city. More troops are also on the scene. (International Newsreel photos.)

CONFESSION IN SLAYING READ TO COURT

Girl Calm as Efforts of Family to Dissuade Her Are Related

By DOROTHY ROE

Norristown, Pa., Feb. 5 (US)—Rose Allen, the girl who has allied herself with the Commonwealth against her brother, Edward H. B. Allen, on trial for the murder of Francis A. Donaldson, 3d., heard read in court her brother's statement that he shot her fiance because young Donaldson had betrayed his sister.

Capt. L. L. Mullin, detective chief who took the official confession of the young steeplechase rider, read to the jury late yesterday the following statement made by Eddie Allen on the night that he shot "Skinny" Donaldson:

OPPOSED MARRIAGE

"Francis Donaldson wronged my sister when she was 17 years old. It was last August. I was ill at the time in Saratoga. My father got in touch with me and when I got home around the first of September, Donaldson came to my home and confessed in front of myself, my father and his father that he had wronged my sister.

"After we learned of this we didn't want Donaldson to marry her. Both my father and his father were against the marriage. But we couldn't keep them apart."

The rest of the long statement made by the desperate boy on the night he killed Donaldson recounted the event leading up to the tragedy.

He said, however, in the confession, that he had not intended to kill his sister's lover, but went five miles after a shot-gun just to frighten Donaldson and his pal, "Gal" Lucas, into leaving his apartment, where he said they were abusing his father.

ROSE ALLEN CALM

Toward the end of the statement, read in the impersonal tones of the detective chief, Eddie was asked:

"Then the whole trouble was about Donaldson and your sister?"

"Yes."

"And he wronged your sister?"

"Absolutely."

While the story of her clandestine love was read aloud to a courtroom packed with her former friends, Rose Allen leaned forward intently, her pert chin lifted proudly, her eyes glued in fascination to the impassive face of Capt. Mullin.

RIOTERS TO FACE NEW CHARGES

Seven persons, including two women, arrested yesterday during a clash between police and Reds in Washington st., between Stuart and Lagrange sts., will face additional charges in court today, according to police.

The clash came when police attempted to break up a parade of Communists returning from an unemployment meeting on the Common sponsored by the International Labor Defense.

As a result of the battle several policemen were injured and one, Patrolman William J. Mason of the East Dedham st. station, is at City Hospital suffering from internal injuries received when he was kicked during the fighting. He was discharged from the hospital a few day ago after an operation.

Those under arrest and the present charges against them are:

Martin, Alec C., of Pine st., South End, assault on Capt. Jeremiah Gallivan.

Keith, Irving, 21, of Blue Hill ave., Dorchester, profanity.

Friedman, Isaac, 42, of Lawrence ave., Roxbury, attempted rescue of prisoners.

Whittier, Mark, 48, Greenwich st., Roxbury, same charge.

Sanders, Harry, 39, Greenfield ave., Malden, same charge.

Sanders, Mrs. Doris, 35, same address, same charge.

Delavitch, Dora, 35, of Thornton st., Roxbury, same charge.

All seven furnished bail late yesterday afternoon and were released for court appearance today.

When the United States battle fleet sailed from Los Angeles harbor for Hawaii and in the direction of China, it was believed that the Far East and war was its destination. This photo shows some of the mighty dreadnaughts. From bottom to top are the U. S. S. West Virginia, U. S. S. Maryland, U. S. S. Arizona, U. S. S. Tennessee. (International Newsreel photo.)

STAGE SET FOR SPORTS SHOW

It was a great day for the polar bear, the minks and the martens and the other snow-loving animals at Machanics Building today when they arrived for opening of the Sportsmen's Show tomorrow afternoon and glimpsed the snow.

Util their cages were wheeled from the platform into the building, the fur-bearers grunted and squealed in delight, and many of them reached eager paws out between the bars and rubbed them in the glistening white.

Finishing touches for the mammoth show will be put on tonight and tomorrow morning, with the crowning feature a huge waterfall over the stage of the Grand Hall.

The huge waterfall is shown tumbling down a "mountainside," a drop of 60 feet, which discharges 1000 gallons of water every few minutes into a miniature lake where hundreds of trout and salmon swim.

SNOW DELAYS 'SNOW GIRLS'

Tears that threatened to melt all the glorious winter sports snowfall flowed at the North Station today as 12 sparkling college girls missed all trains for the 22d annual Dartmouth Winter Carnival, starting today.

Through the efforts of "Herb" Baldwin, of the B. & M. publicity department, they finally left Boston, all smiles again.

The Dartmouth Special left at 8:55, but because of the storm six girls arrived just after it pulled out. They took the 9 a. m. train for White River Junction, Vt.

No sooner had the second train left, than 12 more girls came rushing up with porters lugging their baggage. The next train for the Dartmouth area was not until 4:30, but after much sobbing, they were put on the Berkshire Flyer for Greenfield, where they were to change at noon for a train to White River.

Sachem Passes

John R. Voorhis, 102-year-old Grand Sachem of Tammany Hall, who died suddenly in his home today. (I. N. R. photo.)

FRANCE PLANS ARMS CUT

Geneva, Feb. 5 (AP)—The Chinese delegation to the world disarmament conference today expressed anxiety over the "extension of warfare on the Shanghai front," while the council of the League of Nations apparently was at a standstill in its peace program.

Geneva, Feb. 5 (INS)—Executing a sudden about-face, France has decided to place before the disarmament conference here drastic proposals for cuts in her military and naval establishment.

This was announced as the conference met today to elect seven vice-presidents from among the smaller powers to sit with the seven already chosen to represent the great powers.

"We are anxious to contribute some positive help to the work of the conference," the French delegation announced, "and have decided to offer several projects."

It was for this reason that Andre Tardieu, war minister, and head of the French delegation, refused to yield his place as second delegate to address the conference, to Chancellor Bruening of Germany. Tardieu is to follow Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary.

It was reported France, if she obtains the security pledges she desires, will propose abolition of submarines and take and suggest that air fleets of the European powers be placed under supervision and control by the League of Nations.

35,000 IN DRESS TRADE TO QUIT

New York, Feb. 5 (INS)—A strike of about 35,000 workers affiliated with the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union was authorized today. The order for the walk-out probably will be issued next week.

Unionists voted in favor of this action at a meeting attended by 6000. Communists who made attempts to disrupt the gathering were ejected by police.

The union demands include a new contract insuring a minimum weekly wage, 40-hour week and unemployment insurance.

Woman Pastor Ties Knot as Ex-Hubby Weds Her Rival

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 5 (AP)—The Rev. Mrs. Elizabeth Lawson, a Pentecostal minister, not only divorced her husband, John O. Lawson, three weeks ago, but also officiated at his marriage to Mrs. Velma Sneed, divorced three weeks ago.

"I hope you have a long, happy married life," Mrs. Lawson told her husband as she signed the marriage certificate.

The attorney who handled the women's divorces also arranged the marriage ceremony.

$15,000 FIRE IN FALL RIVER

Fall River, Feb. 5—Fire in the two-story wooden building of the Cotton City Curtain Corporation, on Palmer st., drove 12 nearby families to the street early today and caused damage of $15,000.

The families were in two six-family tenement houses that caught fire from flying embers.

Extra alarms were ordered, due to the thickly-settled district and the high wind of the storm. The cause is being investigated.

GAR WOOD HAS BROKEN RECORD

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 5 (AP)—Gar Wood shot his Miss America IX to a speed of 111.712 miles an hour on a two-way run over the Indian creek course today in his assault on the world's speed boat record of 110.223 miles an hour, held by Kaye Don of England.

Wood clocked 112.434 miles an hour on the southward run over the nautical mile, and 110.989 miles an hour on the northward run.

On Jan. 27, Wood averaged 110.785 with Miss America IX, but international officials held his speed lacked a fraction of a second.

MacDonald Restless, But Eye Is Better

London, Feb. 5—Premier Ramsay MacDonald had an uneasy night after an operation on his left eye for glaucoma, but his eye was healing normally, physicians reported.

OFF FOR DARTMOUTH GAMES

ARLENE BEALE ELVA WHYTE MARION PURDY

LILLIAN MORIARTY CORA WILBUR

Boston University co-eds at North Station just before their train left for Hanover, N. H., for the Dartmouth mid-winter carnival. They are, standing, Misses Arlene Beale, Elva Whyte and Marion Purdy; seated, Misses Lillian Moriarty and Cora Wilbur. (Staff photo.)

DAVIS HERE IN 7 MILLION CASE

In a courtroom thronged with legal lights, many of whom were obliged to stand, John W. Davis, former ambassador to England and once Democratic nominee for President, argued before the full bench of the Massachusetts Supreme Court today.

Davis appeared representing the Midland Bank, Ltd., of London, which has been sued by the Universal Adjustment Corp., of Boston, for $7,000,000. The adjustment company represents the Moscow Merchants Bank of Russia which, prior to the Russian revolution and its own insolvency, deposited $7,000,000 in the Midland, according to claim.

Attempts have ben mad to try the case in French and Swiss courts without success, and the attempt to establish Massachusetts jurisdiction was made following attachment of Midland property in three Boston banks.

Judge Gray in Superior Court here declined jurisdiction and Universal took exceptions to the full bench.

Davis argued for relinquishment of jurisdiction to England, while Elbridge R. Anderson and R. B. Owen, representing Universal argued for Massachusetts trial. Fine points of English and Russian imperial and Soviet laws are involved.

Quits Forecasting

Washington, Feb. 5 (AP)—The Agricultural Department will make no more public forecasts on the probable course of prices for farm products.

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YOUNGEST ADMIRAL

Rear Admiral Clark H. Woodward, commander of the third cruiser division of the United States Navy, now en route to Hawaii for war games, is only 54 years old and is the youngest man of his rank in the Navy. (International Newsreel photo.)

AUTOISTS SHOOT 2 GIRLS, MAN

Washington, Feb. 5 (US)—Apparently crazed, two men in a black sedan shot two girls and a man last night and then eluded a police cordon thrown about the entire city.

The shootings occurred within 20 minutes and in different sections. The first resulted in the wounding of Helen Andrews, 18, a clerk, and Dorothy Beall, 16-year-old high school girl.

The girls were homeward bound from a public library when a sedan drew up at a curbing. Five shots poured from the interior and the girls fell screaming to the street.

Twenty minutes later Gordon T. Beckus, 46, a government employe, was shot in the back by one of the gunmen in the sedan. The car sped away.

Wanamaker Kin Is Active in Stock

New York, Feb. 5 (AP)—The Chamberlain Brown players, a stock company at the Shubert Riviera theater, discovered today that one of their actors in a small part of "The Last Mile" is Thomas R. Wanamaker, Jr., grandson of the famous merchant, John Wanamaker.

He is 27 years old and ambitious for a stage career. His part in "The Last Mile," which opened Monday, is his first.

WEDS TENNIS STAR

Miss Rebecca Williams Tenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harral Strast Tenney of Greenwich, Ct., who will become the wife of Francis K. Shields, popular American tennis star, in a fashionable wedding tomorrow in Greenwich.

GRAND OLD MAN VOORHIS DIES

New York, Feb. 5 (AP)—John R. Voorhis, 102-year-old grand sachem of Tammany Hall, died today in his home.

Despite his advanced age, Voorhis had continued his work as president of the city board of elections until October 20 of last year when he was retired by the board of estimate at his full salary of $8000 a year.

He made his request for retirement on October 8, the Legislature last September having enacted a law permitting his retirement on full salary for life.

He celebrated his last birthday anniversary on last July 27 by making a radio broadcast. On that occasion his physician attributed Voorhis' ripe age to clean and moderate living.

Portsmouth, R. I., Draw Damaged

Portsmouth, R. I., Feb. 5 (AP)—The draw bridge over the Seaconnet river between Portsmouth and Tiverton, an important link in the main artery of travel from Newport to Fall River and New Bedford, was damaged early today by a tanker.

Traffic was halted by the accident, necessitating a 40-mile detour for automobiles travelling from Newport to Fall River and points east.

JAPAN STANDS ON MEDIATION REJECTION

Tokio, Feb. 5 (AP)—Japanese official quarters here indicated today that if there are to be any further negotiations between the powers and Japan on proposals for mediation in the Shanghai controversy the next move is up to the powers.

Doubt was expressed, however, whether anything more would be done. It was admitted here that the three proposals of the five which Japan accepted conditionally were the three of lesser importance, affecting only local conditions at Shanghai, which Tokio is confident will be radically changed soon through means it is now impossible to outline.

This change would make the three proposals obsolete, it was pointed out.

The cabinet met today in what was described as "a momentous session" and discussed important matters relating to the Shanghai situation. Details were withheld.

Edward Hunter, an I. N. S. Reporter, Is Arrested

New York, Feb. 5 (INS)—Edward Hunter, International News Service correspondent in Manchuria, has been arrested by Chinese troops between Changchung and Harbin, according to dispatches received today from Tokio.

One dispatch said that Hunter had been seized by the Chinese and was "missing."

Gen. Araki, Japanese minister of war, has wirelessed Gen. Shiegeru Honjo, Japanese commander in Manchuria, to try to effect Hunter's release. The International News Service has also acted to speed Hunter's freedom.

Washington, Feb. 5 (INS)—Secretary of State Stimson today cabled to Consul General George C. Hanson at Harbin, and Consul General M. S. Myers at Mukden, to do their utmost to effect the release of Edward S. Hunter, Manchurian correspondent for International News Service, held captive by Chinese.

All-Star Cast of Correspondents At Front for Boston American

THE BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN, THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS AND THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE have an all-star cast of correspondents on the firing lines in the Sino-Japanese conflict areas in Shanghai and in Manchuria.

The famous war correspondents, whose dispatches you may read daily in the Boston Evening American, are:

FLOYD GIBBONS, famous headline hunter, now in Shanghai, after following the Japanese army's advance through Southern Manchuria.

KARL H. VON WIEGAND, noted European and Far East correspondent, now en route to Shanghai from Bombay, where he has been covering the Indian rebellion.

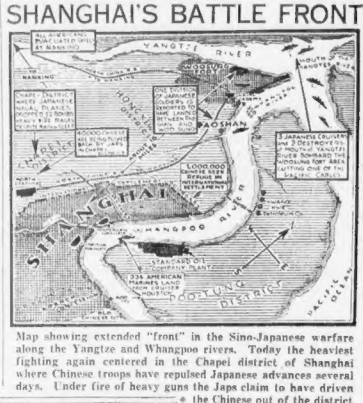
JOHN GOETTE, chief of Peiping Bureau, now in Shanghai, after covering Nanking bombardment. Dean of Far Eastern correspondents.

DIXON R. HOSTE, chief of Shanghai Bureau, writing daily Shanghai leads and directing assignments. Editor of the North China Daily News.

EDWARD S. HUNTER, first correspondent to reach Mukden, covering Manchurian campaign there.

JAMES R. YOUNG, veteran American newspaperman, handles the Japanese end in Tokio.

SHANGHAI'S BATTLE FRONT



Map showing extended "front" in the Sino-Japanese warfare along the Yangtze and Whangpoo rivers. Today the heaviest fighting again centered in the Chapei district of Shanghai where Chinese troops have repulsed Japanese advances several days. Under fire of heavy guns the Japs claim to have driven the Chinese out of the district today and gained full control. The day's battle was marked by the first air duel of rival planes, two Jap planes being reported downed. While the battle raged Japan landed strong reinforcements near the Woosung forts. Several shells landed behind the lines of the U. S. marines on guard duty.

STIMSON ASKS POWERS TO AID CHINA PEACE

BULLETIN

Nanking, Feb. 5 (INS)—The Japanese reply to the powers' peace proposals, delivered last night, is not acceptable to the Chinese government, foreign office officials announced today. China will insist that any solution of the Shanghai situation must also embrace a settlement of the Manchurian controversy.

Washington, Feb. 5 (INS)—Secretary of State Stimson today was rallying the principal powers of the world to a definite plan to bring peace in the Orient.

Faced with the certainty that Japan is pursuing the same tactics at Shanghai that she pursued in the occupation of Manchuria, Stimson moved to enlist support of the major powers for concerted action to stem Japan's aggression.

This move was prompted by Nippon's practical rejection of the "peace proposals" put forward by United States and Great Britain, and supported by France and Italy, as a basis for settling the Shanghai situation. Japan has rejected two of the five points on which the peace proposals were based, qualifying her acceptance of the other three.

SEND REGULAR TROOPS

Simultaneously she landed 400 regular infantry troops between Woosung and Shanghai, and dispatched 2600 more. These regulars of the army are expected to "take over" from the bluejackets the task of capturing the city. The Bluejackets have failed completely to accomplish that object in a full week of heavy fighting.

These and other moves of the Japanese military indicated that Japan had acted, while the peace proposals were under diplomatic discussion, to improve her position at Shanghai.

The arrival of the first contingent of Japanese regular army troops at Woosung yesterday indicated they had been dispatched from Japan two days ago at the time when the Japanese government officially announced the cabinet had forbidden the sending of regular army units to Shanghai.

MAKE SECRET MOVES.

These were the tactics observed during Japan's drive against Manchuria. It was declared that every diplomatic move that was made for a peaceful solution of the Manchurian dispute was used by Japan to enable her to push her military penetration deeper into northeastern China.

A future parallel was drawn between the Manchurian campaign and the Shanghai situation when the Japanese naval commander offered to repair the British and American cables, which had been cut a few hours earlier at some point between the cable landing at Woosung and Shanghai.

The commander conditioned his repair offer upon the privilege of furnishing a military guard for the repair men, and the occupation of the Chinese forts at Woosung by Japanese marines.

FLOYD'S SISTER GETS NEWS

Readers of the Boston Evening American have been recipients of real treats in the Floyd Gibbons snappy war dispatches from Shanghai. Never before has such interesting first-hand news come to newspaper readers of Boston. To Mrs. Theodore Mayer of Newton the dispatches have a double meaning, for she is Floyd's sister. She was photographed in her shop as she read yesterday's story from Shanghai by her brother, the noted headline hunter. Frequently he speaks to Mrs. Mayer in his radio broadcasts and refers to her as sister Zelda. (Staff photo.)

WAR Bulletins

JAP PLANE SHOT DOWN

Shanghai, Feb. 5—A Japanese airplane was shot out of the sky by Chinese anti-aircraft guns near the Chinese army headquarters, five miles outside the city. Three Jap fliers perished in the flaming wreckage.

NEW AIR ATTACK

Shanghai, Feb. 5—The Woosung forts, which the Chinese have held in the face of terrific air and sea bombardments of the last two days, was again the target for Jap airmen today. For two hours bombs were rained on the forts but the Chinese held their positions.

CHAPEI AREA WRECKED

Washington, Feb. 5 (INS)—The entire Chapei sector of Shanghai is a wreck, due to gunfire, aerial bombing and conflagration, Admiral M. M. Taylor notified the Navy today. The Woosung fort has apparently been reduced, but there is no evidence of the Japanese occupying the ruins.

NEW NOTE BY BRITAIN

London, Feb. 5 (INS)—A new note will be sent to Japan by Great Britain and the other three powers associated in presenting the five-point proposal designed to end the Sino-Japanese conflict, it was announced by the foreign office today.

WOUNDED JAP FLIER DOWN

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (AP)—The master of a British steamer which arrived here said he had seen a Japanese airplane down in the Yangtze river beyond the Chinese forts at Woosung. The pilot was in the cockpit, badly wounded.

FRANCE MUM ON PEACE

Paris, Feb. 5 (INS.)—While the French government officially was silent on Japan's reply to the Western powers' peace proposal, the Chamber of Deputies today was inclined to regard the incident as none of France's affair, as long as the French Concession of the International Settlement remains unharmed.

BOMBS PERIL U. S. COLLEGE

Shanghai, Feb. 5 (INS)—Japanese aerial bombs fell today within a few hundred yards of St. John's University, an American institution, lying within the British defense lines. The bombs apparently were intended for the Shanghai-Hangchow railway tracks.

Siamese Twins Die at Birth

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 5—Mrs. Refugio C. de Fernandez of Juarez gave birth to Siamese twins, joined at the back but they lived only five minutes.

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WAKEFIELD—448 Main St.
WALTHAM—165 Moody St.
WOBURN—447 Main St.
W. CONCORD—47 Commonwealth Ave.
WORCESTER—48 Pleasant St.

MAINE

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AUGUSTA, ME.—2 Haymarket Sq.
PORTLAND, ME.—142 Congress St.
BANGOR, ME.—9 Main St.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

BERLIN, N. H.—177 E. Mason St.
CLAREMONT, N. H.—4 Sullivan St.
CONCORD, N. H.—11 School St.
DOVER, N. H.—6 Broadway
FRANKLIN, N. H.—451 Central St.
KEENE, N. H.—57 Main St.
MANCHESTER, N. H.—1054 Elm St.
NASHUA, N. H.—17 Main St.
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.—21 Pleasant St.
ROCHESTER, N. H.—3 Bridge St.

RHODE ISLAND

PAWTUCKET, R. I.—87 Broad St.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—4 Empire St.
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Tax Shock Looms

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the Federal Treasury will suffer an embarrassing loss of income from this source.

What can be done about it?

When William Randolph Hearst—with greater foresight than the writer could muster—first began to advocate the introduction of a sales tax, I could not conscientiously take part in the campaign. And, of course, did not.

But subsequent events, especially recent events, and still more especially what looms ahead, have opened my eyes to the urgent necessity for establishing taxation on the broadest possible basis.

IN my humble opinion, a sales tax drawn up with due care by legislators or others, who have first familiarized themselves with Canada's sales tax and Canada's experiences, would be infinitely preferable to the bewildering variety of Washington proposals for singling out this, that and the next industry and product for subjection to all kinds of crippling levies.

Even should the government—wisely—refrain from compelling business and individuals to meet avoidable burdens at this time when business and individuals have burdens enough of their own, the need for public revenue will be so large that at least a modest contribution should be levied upon the greatest possible number of those who enjoy the government's protection.

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BRITISH TARIFF THREATENS U. S. TRADE PACT

London, Feb. 5 (AP)—One possible effect of enacting protective tariffs in Great Britain may be the scrapping of the most-favored-nation clause in commercial treaties such as exist between the United States and this country.

Under the new program practically three-fourths of America's total trade with Great Britain will be affected. In 1930 Anglo-American trade totalled $775,000,000 and about one-fourth was represented by meat, wheat and cotton now on the free list.

HEAVY RATES AGAINST U. S.

One-fourth of imports from the United States have been dutiable on a high scale under the McKenna schedules, in effect for a decade, and averaging about 33 1-3 per cent on such imports as automobiles and accessories, clocks and musical instruments.

Also there are the abnormal import duties of 50 per cent levied a few months ago. These existing duties are not affected by the new 10 per cent general tariff.

HIGH RATE ON SPIRITS

The highest existing tariff affecting the United States is on spirits, which on perfumes, for instance, amounts to $30 a gallon. There also are heavy duties on gasoline, tobacco, silk and motion picture films.

London papers forecast iron and steel manufactures and flour, oats and barley will be on the schedule for the new 10 per cent ad valorem duties, but that iron ore will be exempt.

HOOVER TO WAR ON HOARDERS

Washington, Feb. 5 (AP)—Heads of 40 national organizations, ranging from the Chamber of Commerce of the United States to the railroad labor brotherhoods, have been enlisted by President Hoover in his war on hoarding of badly-needed dollars.

The executives of virtually every unit capable of reaching large numbers of people have been summoned and are expected to attend the President's Saturday conference. Mr. Hoover will address the groups and so will Charles G. Dawes, president of the reconstruction corporation.

This unit heard its first direct appeals for aid from delegations representing Ohio and North Carolina. No commitments were made, but the delegations were given reason to feel encouraged, they said. It was indicated the Federal Reserve structure would play a part in the set-up of a regional organization for the reconstruction group.

Rivers of Lava Run Down Alentian Peak

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 5 (AP)—Reports from Squaw Harbor, in the Aleution Islands chain, tell of the violent eruption of the volcano Shisaldin, one of the highest peaks in the chain.

Its spectacular outburst is more violent than it has been in years. Over the rim of its great crater huge rivers of molten lava are pourint down uninhabited slopes, and the force of the eruption is throwing live ash far out into Behring Sea.

Mother of Six Dies of Burns in Lowell

Lowell, Feb. 5—Mrs. Catherine Delaney of Humphrey st., burned last Sunday in the kitchen of her home, died last night at Lowell General Hospital.

Mrs. Delaney was preparing dinner Sunday when her clothing caught fire. Her daughter, Mary, beat out the flames but inhalation of them brought internal complications that brought death. She is survived by three ither daughters and two sons.

Jameson Asks for Alimony Reduction

Testifying that his income has been cut practically in half, Robert M. Jameson, general manager of the Marlboro Electric Co., has asked Middlesex Probate Court that a weekly allowance of $125 awarded his wife, Mrs. Josephine Jameson be reduced. Judge John C. Leggat took the petition under advisement.

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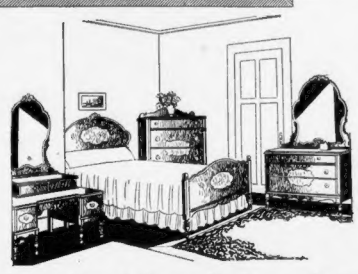

Attractive 4-Piece Bedroom Suite Featuring Venetian Mirrors

Formerly $124—Now Sale Priced at.... $69

4-Piece Set, consisting of Full Size Bed, Dresser, Chest of Drawers, and Hollywood Vanity, strongly built of Two-Toned Walnut veneers on Gumwood, Maple Overlays—Maple-Top Drawer Fronts, Venetian Mirrors.

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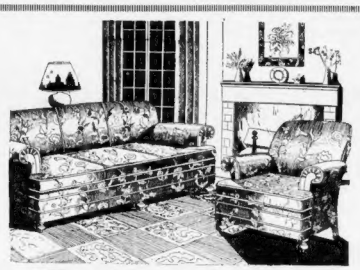

This Distinctive 2-Piece English Lounging Group

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80-inch Divan and very comfortable Lounging Chair, excellently upholstered all over in fine quality Tapestry —Reversible Cushions—heavy Ball Feet—Web Bottoms —in all, a most impressive value!

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English Lounge Chair

$14.95

Beautifully upholstered all over in heavy quality Tapestry in choice of several colors and patterns. Spring construction throughout. Loose reversible cushion. Roll back.

Book Trough End Table

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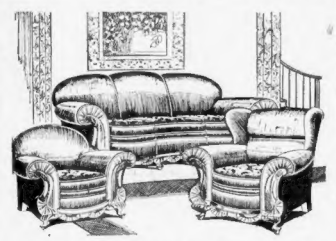
Sturdily constructed and attractively finished to resemble mahogany. A handy article for those stray books.



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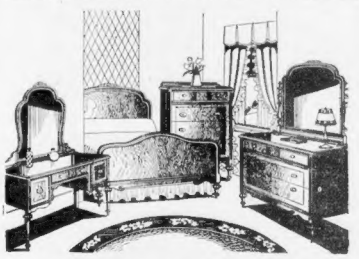

Smartly Designed 4-Pc. Bedroom Suite — An Extraordinary Value!

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An unusual Bedroom Value, marked low for this Great Sale. Suite consists of Large Dresser, Bed, Chest and Vanity—finely finished with burl Walnut fronts, combined with Walnut veneers and hardwood —Fluted Posts.

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10-Piece Dining Room Suite Of Massive Beauty, Unusually Low Priced!

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Pedestal Base Table with Built-In Concealed Leaf, China Cabinet with Deep Linen Drawer, Buffet, Server, Host Chair and 5 Guest Chairs. Two-Toned Walnut with heavy overlays and matched veneers in combination with other choice woods.

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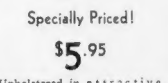

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50,000 NEEDY FACE LOSS OF VOTES

Political leaders and welfare officials today expressed surprise at the ruling of City Solicitor Patrick F. Shanahan of Lynn, that those receiving aid from public funds are paupers and not entitled to vote.

The ruling of Shanahan yesterday created widespread interest as strict enforcement of the voting law, according to his interpretations of it, would deprive approximately 50,000 citizens of the Commonwealth from voting in city, town, state and presidential elections this year.

The opinion written by Shanahan in response to an inquiry by Mayor F. Fred Manning declared that all persons, with the exception of war veterans, receiving aid from city or state are thus deprived of their voting privilege. He based his opinion on article 3 of the state constitutional amendments and an opinion submitted to the State Senate by the Supreme Court in February, 1822.

Richard K. Conant, state commissioner of public welfare, declared the ruling of Shanahan was wrong and that the statutes had been reformed on that point.

Secretary Walter V. McCarthy of the Boston welfare board, stated that it was a "sorry state of affairs when a hungry man must decide between going hungry and giving up his voting privilege."

Wife Collapses as Mate Faces Court

About to testify against her husband in Newton district court, Mrs. Lawrence Panaggio, 24, of Chapel st., Newton, collapsed on the witness stand.

She was carried into the judge's office and revived. Panaggio's case was then continued until February 5 and he was held in $500 on a charge of assault and battery on his wife.

SWAM FOR LIVES IN STORM

ERNIE NEILL THOMAS ROSS JOHN ASCOT

Three of the four Boston youths seeking adventure by sailing a sloop to Florida got it aplenty when their 40-foot craft, the Nomad, was wrecked in Newport harbor during the storm. They swam ashore to safety. They are Ernie D. Neill, Thomas P. Ross and John Ascot, shown aboard the Nomad just before they left here. (Staff photo.)

Freed Youths Urged to Attend Church

Judge Edward F. Hanify of Suffolk Superior Court yesterday told two young men that the life of the criminal does not pay and urged them to attend church. The youths, Frederick Nichols and Frederick McRae, both living in Roslindale, were then placed on probation.

Somerville Elks to Conduct Party

The Somerville Lodge of Elks will hold a Valentine Party Monday evening at the Elks Home on Central st.

The entertainment committee is man.

4 SWIM ASHORE AS BOAT SINKS OFF NEWPORT

Newport, R. I. Feb. 5—Four Boston adventurers swam for their lives in the northeast storm here today when the Florida-bound sloop Nomad was wrecked on the rocks in the outer harbor.

Exhausted and chilled, they battled their way to the shore of the Nicholas Brown estate, where they were picked up by a caretaker and taken to Seamen's Institute.

The quartet, Ernie D. Neill, 22; Thomas P. Ross, 22; John Ascot, 24, and William S. Hayes, 23, sailed from Boston a week ago in a 40-foot sloop.

They made their way here last night to take on supplies and were back on board when the storm and fitted it for the trip.

They were to continue today on a sail to Florida that was planned since they bought the craft for $75

After their rescue the youths said they stuck by the ship until just before she plunged on the rocks.

Traffic Rules for Pedestrians

Panama City, Feb. 5—The mayor of Panama has issued a decree that in the future all pedestrians must keep to the right side of the sidewalks and children and the aged must walk on the inner side, while the matter of the crossing of the streets must be taken at street corners where special traffic policemen will handle the situation.

Faulkner Hospital Fund Drive Ends

The campaign in the interests of the Faulkner Hospital fund was officially closed yesterday at a tea in the hospital building in Jamaica Plain, at which Ex-Mayor Andrew J. Peters, president of the board and chairman of the executive committee of the fund, announced that a total of $80,500 had been received from 1194 contributors.

11 Seek Berth in Street Department

There are now 11 applicants for the position of superintendent of streets in Wakefield. They are David Cedar, of Belmont, Frederick H. Jones, of Belmont, Arnold G. Carey, of Medford, Charles R. Herrick, of Reading, Harry H. Denning of Wakefield, George P. Morrill, of Westbrook, Ct., Leslie M. Willard, of Fitchburg, Herbert E. Brown, of Saugus, H. F. Clark, of Marblehead, Charles J. Rotundi, of Stoneham, and W. B. McIntogh, of Wilmington.

Pay Cut to 80 P. C. of Scale of 1932

Portland, Ore., Feb. 5 (AP)—A reduction of the Portland Building Trade wage scale to 80 per cent of the 1932 scale has been recommended by a board of arbitration after two weeks of investigation and deliberation.

Members of the Building Trade and the Building Construction Employers' Association agreed to accept the board's recommendation.

More Women Try Making Own Gowns

An increase in home sewing is indicated by the large attendance of women at the Thresher Store's semi-annual dollar sale of fine silks.

Those who formerly selected ready-made frocks are consulting the Thresher stylist, selecting the newest patterns and making their own dresses. There were 75 additional salespeople to take care of the overflow of customers who flocked to the sale.

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ASSETS (itemized below)	$1,890,144,880.69
LIABILITIES (itemized below)	$1,770,472,137.51
EXCESS OF ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES (General Contingency Fund)	$ 119,672,743.18

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ASSETS

		Per Cent of Total
Cash on Hand or in Bank	$ 9,792,153.75	.52
United States Government Bonds	47,531,980.91	2.51
State, County and Municipal Bonds	115,177,905.97	6.09
Public Utility Bonds	151,189,300.14	8.00
Industrial Bonds	19,793,579.91	1.05
Railroad Bonds	383,112,490.26	20.27
Canadian Bonds (Dominion, Province, City, etc.)	38,381,749.63	2.03
United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland Bonds	4,984,694.80	.26
Other Foreign Bonds	2,179,464.57	.12
Preferred and Guaranteed Stocks	62,402,545.00	3.30
Real Estate Owned (including Home Office)	37,777,895.52	2.00
First Mortgages on City Properties	547,233,154.68	28.95
First Mortgages on Farms	26,003,152.14	1.37
Policy Loans	379,479,403.29	20.08
Interest and Rents Due and Accrued	31,938,020.47	1.69
Other Assets	33,167,389.65	1.76
Total	$1,890,144,880.69	100.00

(In this statement, bonds not subject to amortization and all stocks are valued at market quotations as of December 31st.)

LIABILITIES

Reserves—For All Contractual Obligations	$1,698,495,195.70
For Dividends Payable in 1932	63,210,338.00
For Taxes	6,463,925.07
Other Liabilities	2,302,678.74
Total Liabilities	$1,770,472,137.51
General Contingency Fund	119,672,743.18
Total	$1,890,144,880.69

POLICY PAYMENTS AND INSURANCE STATEMENT

Paid to Living Policyholders (Including Dividends)	$156,096,109.08
Paid to Beneficiaries in Death Claims	71,487,826.31
Total Paid to Policyholders and Beneficiaries in 1931	$227,583,935.39
New Insurance Paid for in 1931	$673,123,000.00
Insurance in Force December 31, 1931	$7,657,373,158.00

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People who can afford to pay *any* price for coffee—and people who must consider prices carefully. All of them are people who want the *best* coffee and know where to get it.

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EIGHT O'CLOCK MILD AND MELLOW lb. **19c**

RED CIRCLE RICH AND FULL-BODIED lb. **25c**

BOKAR VIGOROUS AND WINEY lb. **29c**

Packed in the bean, ground fresh in the store. Bokar also packed "steel-cut".

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FIRST ROUND IN CONTEST NEARS END

Tomorrow winds up the first series of the Boston Evening American George Washington Patriotic Puzzle Contest and the Puzzle Editor takes this opportunity to remind contestants that the six puzzles must be in the mail and postmarked before midnight on Tuesday.

All six puzzles comprising Series "A" must be sent in at one time.

The Puzzle Editor hopes, even with another day to go, that you have been successful in solving the first week's perplexities—although they have not been so hard.

AWARDS EACH WEEK

First award for this week, Series "A," is a nice Southern trip and there are many other valuable awards. And there will be just as desirable awards posted for the winners of the second week's series and the third, fourth, fifth and sixth.

Watch for the announcement of awards for next week. The awards for this week follow:

First award: Round trip to Havana on a palatial United Fruit Co. liner.

Second award: Round trip to Washington as a personally conducted guest of the Kay Jewelry Co.

Third award: A 1932 model radio in handsome lowboy cabinet, with Pentode multi-mu tubes and dynamic speaker, from the World Radio Corp.

Fourth award: A man's or woman's Bulova wrist watch, from the Washington Jewelry Co.

Fifth award: Westinghouse Master-Matic electric iron, from the Westinghouse Co.

Sixth to 10th awards: Two guest tickets to see "The Man I Killed," with Lionel Barrymore, Nancy Carroll and Phillips Holmes, at the Washington St. Olympia Theater.

Eleventh to 20th awards: Single ticket to the same theater.

SIMPLE REQUIREMENTS

These awards are just for this week. There will be similar awards for the other five weeks to follow.

The conditions are simple. Here they are:

1—The Boston Evening American will publish a Washington patriotic crossword puzzle daily in its columns.

2—Hidden in each puzzle, but easily found if the puzzle is worked out, will be found the title of a historic event, from the life of George Washington.

3—All you are required to do is solve the puzzle and name the event. That is really all there is to it.

CHANCE EACH WEEK

Series B, starting next Monday, will be another complete series in itself, as will each of the series in the following four weeks. The simple rules will be printed each day.

This offer is open to every man and woman, boy and girl, except employees of the Hearst newspapers in Boston, and their families.

Winning an award in one week does not bar you from participating in the series of any other week of the contest—and each series will have its own awards. Also, in case of ties a duplicate award will be given each contestant in each tie.

You must send in each series complete.

Address The Washington Patriotic Puzzle Editor, Boston Evening American, P. O. Box 185, Boston, and be sure you don't forget to include your name and address, plainly written, with your entries.

De Molay to Mark 10th Anniversary

The 10th anniversary of the founding of De Molay in New England will be celebrated in Boston February 11, 12, and 13, at the Hotel Statler.

A banquet will be held Thursday. The initiatory will be exemplified on February 12 and on Saturday evening, February 13, the grand ball will be held.

Valentine Party for Malden Foresters

A Valentine Dance will be held Monday night at the Malden Club Hall, Malden, by Fr. Fower Court, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters.

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MRS. PICKMAN — MRS. DUDLEY PICKMAN, JR., was one of the society leaders who heard "Aida" at the Opera House last night. She was accompanied by her husband.

MISS TROWBRIDGE — MRS. WILFRED FIELD HOWARD, wearing black velvet with white-fur trimmed evening wrap, and Miss Avis Trowbridge, attractively gowned, were also in the audience.

MRS. HOWARD

MR. EATON — MRS. ELLIOT SPALDING, her daughter, Miss Betty Spalding, Miss Nancy Morison, Mr. Munroe Eaton and Mr. George Knight, were members of one family party that flocked to the Opera House to hear Claudia Muzio in the title role of "Aida."

MISS MORISON — MRS. SPALDING — MISS SPALDING — The Spaldings are among the most enthusiastic of Boston opera devotees and frequently attend during the season. (Moses Smith's musical review of "Aida" on Page 16.)

MR. KNIGHT

MRS. GODFREY — MR. AND MRS. H. F. GODFREY, JR., greeted many friends as they entered the Opera House foyer. Mrs. Godfrey was most becoming in a gown of white satin with the neckline outlined in mink.

MR. GODFREY

BEACON HILL

—by—

Betty Alden

HERE WE ARE, SITTING AT THE OLD CORONA AWAY up on the steenth floor of the B. A. building with a howling blizzard raging outside and wondering how and if we are going to get home tonight. Those large, soft, white flakes we mentioned yesterday are rapidly losing their beauty for us and are becoming a nuisance—we have heard of other beauties who have had that fate—it looks as though we would have to accept the hospitality of our favorite hotel for the rest of the night. It is now 1:30 a. m. To begin at the beginning—

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A few hours ago we were listening to the incomparable Muzio singing our favorite opera, "Aida." Nothing has ever thrilled us more! Never have we been so enamored of a prima donna—she can sing, she can act and she is, oh, so beautiful. Charles Marshall, who was to have sung the part of Radames, was taken ill and his place was filled by Paul Athouse very enjoyably.

MISS LOUISE FESSENDEN

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The applause was as was deserved—loud and long. And wonder of wonders, notwithstanding the rumors of a nasty night, almost everyone in the house stayed until the last curtain call. When Boston likes she can show appreciation. We had an added reason for staying. Claudia Muzio was going to receive us after the performance and we felt like a debutante meeting her first beau. We wangled our way backstage, up poky little stairs, behind scenery and what not, and found her in a little room with her dear mother and Cici, the white poodle.

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Received by Claudia Muzio

SHE WAS IN HER ROBES OF AIDA—THE VERY person whom Verdi must have had in mind when he wrote the opera. Her skin was very brown and she wore large hoop earrings of coral with necklace to match. Her white teeth gleamed like jewels. Standing in the blue-green chiffon veils of the tomb scene, she was stunning enough to paint. After a few well-chosen—you may be sure—words, we were invited to have tea with her soon and reluctantly bid her au revoir. Wasn't she wonderful to receive us after such an exacting and exhausting performance—but that is Muzio. There were others who waited to greet the charming prima donna—Mrs. William Dana Orcutt was received with open arms and affection.

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Many Young Folks

OF COURSE, EVERYONE who had or could get a ticket packed the Opera House for this popular opera and we saw more of the young people than earlier in the week. Louisa Vaughan and Frances Gardner were with escorts, Miss Gardner, who has an effective type of beauty (admired we hear by Monks Mason), wore deep green. Miss Vaughan was in her presentation dress of white.

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In Black Velvet

A VERY BEAUTIFUL LADY came into the lobby and we quickly snapped her picture—she was Mrs. Wilfred F. Howard (Patty Brown) and looked lovely in black velvet with white fur trimmed evening wrap. She was with a party which included Miss Avis Trowbridge, ardent devotees, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pickman, Jr., arrived again last evening. Dudley towers over her like an eagle protecting a dove—not a LM simile if it is our own.

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Godfreys Attend

A PERFECT STUNNER, Mrs. H. F. Godfrey, Jr., wore white satin with neckline outlined in mink, most becoming. She was escorted by her very handsome husband, Mr. Godfrey. Junia Mason was lovely as usual in a rose lame and her escort, Mr. Luis A. Odriozola, seemed to think so too.

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Family Party

A LARGE FAMILY PARTY breezed in with the snowstorm—Mrs. Eliot Spalding, her daughter, Miss Betty Spalding and nephew, Mr. Spalding, also Nancy Morison, Munroe Eaton and George Knight. They are real opera-goers and are seen often during the season. Miss Arria Morison, Nancy's sister, who came out this season, came earlier with a tall brunette giant.

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Wears Rose Taffeta

THERE IS ONE PERSON we always like to see wherever we go—a regular fellow—Miss Louise Fessenden, and very pretty she looked in rose taffeta. Mr. Reginald Gray accompanied her.

It was a very swish audience —glorious evening—happy Betty —but how ARE we going to get home.

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Little Gossip

WE CAN SIT HERE AND think up a bit of gossip to kill time—let us see—we have been hearing that Colleen Mansfield is always happier when Mabel Bradley is included in a party—that Mrs. Olive Higgins Prouty has a cousin on the high seas, the Dwight Proutys, who reside in Paris, and they will arrive in New York soon to visit their son and daughter, later coming to Boston for a round of visits. Potter Palmer has given perfectly gorgeous gifts to Rose Movius—we have mentioned the snoozy automobile, but have heard much about the huge diamond engagement ring and another DINNER ring, just too gorgeous. The Palmers are stopping at the Copley-Plaza until after the wedding. After you get more than a million, guests are never invited to come on in and take Rosie's room, while she sleeps on the living room sofa. It just isn't done in society. They lose a lot of fun, just the same. Oooooh! we are SLEEPY. See you tonight at Der Meistersingers.

Duce Plans Visit to Town of Mussolinia

Mussolinia, Sardinia, Feb. 5—Announcement was made here that Premier Mussolini will soon make a visit to Sardinia to see the town which was named after him.

The town was built on reclaimed marshland during the last five or six years and now has about 1000 inhabitants, mostly emigrants from the mainland of Italy.

Deaconess Fund Reaches $436,854.12

The steadily growing total of the Deaconess Hospital fund has now reached $436,854.12. It was reported at a luncheon of all the committees working in the local campaign.

Rink Carnival for Charity

Mrs. George H. Monks, whose name heads the list of active workers for the forthcoming Skating Carnival, that is to be held at the Boston Arena, Saturday evening, Feb. 27, in the interest of the Convalescent Home of the Children's Hospital, Wellesley, is president of this fine institution.

Miss Anna W. Cutler will be in charge of the tickets, while Mrs. Alexander Whiteside will look after the programs. To Miss Dorothy Lawrence is assigned the charge of the ushers, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tappan of Needham, will handle the publicity.

Mr. Charles Morgan Rotch of Milton, president of the Boston Skating Club, is one of the leaders cooperating with the committee. Many of the skating winners of the Olympics will take part in the carnival. England, France, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, Austria and the United States are among the countries to be represented at this event.

Among the list of boxholders are Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ames, Mrs. William Hewson Baltzell, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Rigelow, Mrs. Robert S. Bradley, Mrs. David Cheever, Mrs. Arthur E. Davis, Mrs. L. A. Frothingham, Mrs. F. B. Munroe, Mr. and Mrs. William Amory Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Rotch, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Russell, Miss Eleonora Sears, Mrs. George F. Shepley, Miss Edith Sigourney, Mrs. Stephen W. Weld, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey O. Whitney, Dr. and Mrs. George H. Monks, Mrs. Richard Wheatland, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. Royce, Mrs. Roger Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Gurney, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Bayles, Mrs. S. H. Fessenden, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Whiteside.

BOOKS—and a Number of Things

By CHARLES HANSON TOWNE

It is curious how certain words come into our language and are in common use for a time, and then completely disappear. When prohibition vanishes, as sooner or later it will, we will forget that "bootlegger" was ever used. It will go as swiftly as it came.

When I was a lad we used to hear the word "greenhorn" all the time. But it has disappeared as completely as if it had never existed. Yet when Castle Garden was standing — the same Castle Garden where the Swedish soprano Jennie Lind once sang—New Yorkers used to go there to get their servants as they arrived on boats from Europe. And those girls, who could not speak one word of our language and who came to us with such dreams in their eyes and hearts and souls, were called "greenhorns." Because they knew nothing. Because of their bovine expressions. Because of their ignorance of American ways.

One went to Castle Garden then, as now one goes to an intelligence bureau. And there was no fee to be paid. You simply picked any girl, of any nationality, whether Irish, Swedish, Finnish, Norwegian, or what-not, who was willing to go with you to your home in that city where she had just landed. With her tragic little bundles, you hustled her uptown in a street car. She had no friends. Nine times out of ten she had little knowledge of housework. But she had heard of this land of the free, this home of the brave, and she had crossed an ocean to seek her fortune here.

Poor things! How confused they must have been! But they had seen the gorgeous Statue of Liberty, and the low, clustering buildings around the Battery, and they thought of America, and particularly of New York, as a place of wealth and golden opportunity. They had heard, as we had heard, that any American boy might become President of the United States. They were sick of the tyranny of the Old World. And on, for a few dollars, they crossed the seas in the steerage, little knowing what bitter loneliness awaited them on our shores.

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I remember Margaret—big, husky Margaret, no longer young, who came from Ireland. Her brogue was so thick that it was as if she spoke a foreign tongue unknown to us. At the age of 40 or so she sought her fortune in America, and it was to our house that she came one winter morning. For the enormous sum of $3 a week she was to cook, wash and iron and scrub for us; and she would be content, as other servants were, with every other Thursday afternoon off.

Where they would go on these "odd Thursdays" heaven only knows: for there were no movies then—not even cinematographs; and they could not afford the luxury of a theater.

Bewildered, Margaret took up her homely duties. She was slow and ponderous; and we children, with that cruelty which goes so often with childhood, immediately christened her "Jumbo." She thought it was a term of endearment. It was years before she learned otherwise.

Such a servant was always given the meanest room in the house—the rear hall bedroom, with little light and air; but in it she seemed content. She expected nothing better. A crucifix adorned her wall—nothing else, at first, since she had nothing else to put there. Later, we gave her shiny pictures from the Sunday papers, or cheap chromos; and once I found a picture of the Blarney Stone which I presented to her, and her eyes filled with tears.

Poor old Margaret! She was a perfect drudge. I used to get her to tell me stories of Ireland while she was peeling potatoes or shelling peas in our kitchen. At first, I had difficulty in understanding her thick brogue, but I got used to it. I regret that often I hurt her feelings by laughing at what I considered her crude speech; but she got even with me by slapping me one day, and then we were the greatest friends. Never did a child more richly deserve a slap.

Years later I read a poem in a magazine about those forlorn servants who come to us from so far away; and one line has haunted me ever since: "Homeless, within our homes." Yet we did our little best for them in our household, and I came to love Margaret as one of the family. Not everyone fared as well as she, I know.

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All this is changed today. Servants haven't a bad time of it, with plenty of leisure for themselves, the neatest quarters, and only work that is highly specialized. Where Castle Garden once stood there is our great Aquarium; but it has often struck me as ironical that even the fish have been snatched from their natural homes, and brought here to swim about in restricted quarters, when they might be out in the limitless world that lies beneath the ocean. They are exactly like those servants of old; confined, unloved, and utterly foreign to us.

But nowadays servants travel with their masters or mistresses. A chauffeur in a rich man's household is taken abroad with the motor, and so is a lady's maid given the benefit of European travel. And in the absence of the family, the New York contingent of servants is kept on, fully paid, living as well as those they serve.

A butler in a fine Fifth ave. house is an important personage. He has his own private sitting room, and if, in summer, the household moves to its palace by the sea—to Newport, to Bar Harbor, or to Southampton—he shares in the pleasures that such a fine place affords.

When one thinks of the advantages of such positions today, and the crude treatment of the servants of three or four decades ago, one is amazed at the change.

Old Margaret must turn in her grave and sigh. A greenhorn, under green sod, far from her native soil. An old drudge—nothing more. And she served our family for ten long, bitter years. I often wonder where she went when she left our door one morning with her little valise in her chapped hands—the same valise she had brought over with her from Ireland. Just one more bit of driftwood on the waters of our tumultuous town. Margaret, the greenhorn.

Brookline Estates Total $772,112

Three inventories filed in Norfolk Probate Court at Dedham, by appraisers appointed by the court, aggregate $772,112. The largest inventory was that of the estate of the late David A. Barber of Brookline, who was worth $484,496.55 in personal estate.

The estate of the late Fred C. Minds of Brookline is appraised at $164,950 in personal property. Joseph Y. Schooner, late of Brookline, at the time or his death was worth $117,658 in personal property and $5000 in real estate.

Gordon Willis Dead at 81

Gordon Willis, 81, is dead today at his home at 78 Pleasant st., South Weymouth.

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Parsons Praised at Testimonial Dinner

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He was presented with an elaborately engrossed set of resolutions suitably framed.

Birds' Haven in Nebraska

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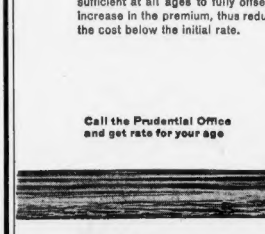

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AMATEUR DIPLOMAT DISCOURAGED BY EXPERTS

By GILBERT SELDES

ONCE A WEEK, OR OFTENER, I am convinced of my luck in not being a statesman. I would have been a sorry mess at the job; I could never have thought of the things statesmen say and do. There was, recently, Newton Baker's statement that the League of Nations ought not to be a subject for discussion at the next election. If I had been a warm supporter of the League, and knew that that support would hurt my candidacy or my party, I would never have thought of that particularly clever way of shelving the problem. In fact, the only diplomacy I seem to understand is that of the early Russians—I mean the Soviets before the Five Year Plan. They blurted things out.

Gilbert Seldes

Clever

The latest admirable bit of diplomacy is the appeal of Japan for protection against the Chinese in Shanghai. It is humiliating, I know, but I must confess I would never have hit on that particular mode of address. The Japanese are in China to protect themselves, they say. What better proof can they offer than an appeal to England, America and France to help them. And, anticipating the worst, they serve notice that if, by any misfortune, we fail to protect them, they will not be responsible.

A Weak Case

The Japanese have made as awkward a case for themselves as the Germans did in 1914; perhaps they, like the Germans, are indifferent to public opinion so long as that public opinion remains overseas. The German case, as we now know, was infinitely better than it seemed; we might, out of some lingering sense of fairness, suspend judgment on the Japanese for a little time.

Actually the moral basis of our sympathy for China would collapse under the impact of a single Chinese victory. We are all hopeless about China; we do not believe the Chinese, disorganized and torn with civil war, can strike a single blow. We assume that Japan has been counting on the miseries of the world and has plunged into the China adventure because she feels herself safe from interference. But if we weren't so sure that China would be annihilated, we might not be so sure that she is an innocent victim. The only evidence we have, really, is the deviousness of Japanese diplomacy.

Coffee Critics

There is a movement for change in the laws of libel which would make coffee and motor cars and shoes and sauerkraut as subject to criticism as books, concerts and music already are. The argument is that we suffer more from the misrepresentation of things we use (and the adulteration of things we eat) than we do from what we see and hear, that a toothbrush which sheds bristles in the mouth is a greater nuisance than a movie which fails to move, and that "the greatest novel of our generation" may turn out a dull book without harming us as much as a cigarette which pretends to be made of the best corn-tassel and secretly contains tobacco.

Shopkeepers and owners of department stores combine to uphold certain ethical standards in advertising; the Government manages to prevent misbranding; but the critics feel that they ought to be free to exercise their calling, to say in print that such a cosmetic is too costly and such a breakfast food not nutritious enough; they want to arrive at the point where they can say that the cellophane around the Blank toothpick is "adequate."

Perfectly Legal

I do not know whether the researches of our Government Bureau of Standards are made public; but there is a private organization, Consumers Research by name, which analyzes products for its members, tells them which makes of toaster or motor car do their work satisfactorily, which jams have the most sugar and the most fruit, and how you can make your own soap. Under the present laws it cannot publish its findings; it prints them and sends them to members only, and these members swear a dreadful oath not to divulge their knowledge. The law, which does not protect the adulterer of food, does protect the man whose package is so dainty that you hardly care whether the produce it contains is much good.

In Reverse

What surprises me is that the producer of plays and movies, the publisher of books and the promoter of concerts have never demanded treatment at least as indulgent as the manufacturers of electric light bulbs and typewriter ribbons. The man who sells shoelaces or hot dogs, puts them on the market and takes his chance: if the product is good, he makes a fortune; if not, he breaks. But he does not submit his wares in advance of public sampling, to professional critics of shoelaces or hot dogs. Even if he does, he does not have to fear a sour report, since the report cannot be published without his approval. Only in the arts does a producer deliberately ask professional opinion. It is often foolhardy and frequently suicidal.

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Who Started It?

I should like to know how the critical profession started and how it rose to its present pitch of power. The ancient Greeks wrote their plays in contests, played them before judges, and received prizes; but I recall no body of critics upon whose verdict success depended. And I suspect that the business of criticising books rose from the natural tendency of writers to reply to other writers, or professors to point out mistakes in grammar and rhetoric which were undoubtedly due to the mistakes of other professors. Dramatic critics, I believe, were not so pressed for time a hundred years ago, and reviewed plays a week or two after they were produced and reviewed them not for the general public but for the small body of men and women who could, and would, read.

Not for Critics

The truth is that in all forms of public entertainment some offerings ought not to be submitted to the critics; the producers know in advance that the critics will turn their noses up or their thumbs down. They reluctantly yield to the tradition of inviting critics. Others need the help which critics can give. The same thing is true of the movies, which, fifteen years ago were receiving reviews that sounded like press agentry, and now are being as rigorously criticised as plays are, although they are not intended primarily for the audiences which read reviews.

Perhaps the artists and the manufacturers would like to change places. Then we would choose our movies and our radio programs by luck, and have a Coffee Critic and a Mattress Expert to tell us what to buy in the stores.

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ROME TIGHTENS UP ON MIXED MARRIAGES

Vatican City, Feb. 5 (AP)—Marriage between Catholics and non-Catholics hereafter will be considered illegal unless the children actually are educated as Catholics, a new and stricter ruling issued today by the congregation of the sacred office declares.

The ruling, tightening mixed marriage restrictions was issued because of a belief that parties to such marriage often have disregarded promises that the children should be reared as Catholics.

The congregation decided that henceforth those who obtain the dispensation of the church for mixed marriage must take these promises seriously, and that the plea that the laws of the countries where such persons reside prevent proper Catholic education of the children.

If necessary, the congregation decided, such persons must refrain from going to countries where they would be unable to keep their pledges to the church.

In case of any failure to educate the children as Catholics, the Church will regard such marriages as illegal.

Death Prayer Answered

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 5 (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Herman H. Schmitz, 79 and 78, prayed they might die together. Schmitz fell down stairs and was killed. Four hours later his wife died of diabetes.

'Twas a Cinch Bet at First, But in the End the 'Sucker' Paid

Chicago, Feb. 5 (AP)—The price of commodities has come down, but the cost of experience remains high. J. Leonard Kolp, a Walnut, Ill., farmer, found.

Two strangers admired the $500 check he got for his livestock, but were skeptical about his ability to cash it.

"We'll bet you $5 to $2 one of them said, "that you can't."

Mr. Kolp is not the kind of a man to let a challenge like that go by.

He won.

Then his new found friends suggested a little pool game.

There were other bets. Kolp lost the $500.

His chance acquaintances went back to wherever they came from. Kolp went back to the farm.

THIS CITY HOLDS UP ITS HEAD

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 5 (AP)—Here in Whiting they say business is good, and they mean it.

The city's three banks are reported to be doing a thriving business, other business is practically normal, 98 per cent of the 1931 tax levy has already been collected, and only a few of the 12,000 inhabitants are out of jobs.

Oil is the reason. One of the nation's largest oil companies has its refineries here, and Mayor Thomas S. Boyle credits it with much of Whiting's good fortune.

And it does make matters better there has been a 15 per cent reduction in the city's tax rate.

GUARANTEED!

A&P

Sirloin Roast boneless LB. 45c

MIDDLE RIB CUTS
Corned Beef LB. 12c

FANCY SOFT MEATED SPRING LAMB
Lamb Legs LB. 22c

EXCELLENT FOR OVEN OR POT ROAST
Undercut Roast LB. 25c

PLUMP, YOUNG, 3 to 3½ LB. AVERAGE
Fancy Fowl LB. 25c

Pork Loins to Roast rib or chine LB. 12c
Face Rump Roast LB. 29c
Roasting Chickens 4 to 5 lb. aver. LB. 32c

BOTH FOR 25c — ONE POUND OF Frankforts + ONE POUND OF Potato Salad — BOTH FOR 25c

Sunnyfield Hams Whole or half LB. 17c
Fresh Shoulders Whole or half LB. 11c
Fresh Hams LB. 15c

New low regular prices—same high quality
Rump Steak CHOICE LB. 49c
Sirloin Steak LB. 43c
Cube Steak LB. 29c

Sliced Halibut LB. 21c
Smelts FANCY MEDIUM 2 LBS. 25c

prices for Boston and Vicinity

A & P MEAT MARKETS
The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

LAST 2 DAYS!

25c SALE

Crowds! Big crowds in all A&P Stores tell how New England has welcomed the values in this extra-value sale. Thousands have bought these specials, but there is plenty of everything in A&P Stores, so come in today or Saturday and get your share of these 25c money-saving specials.

A&P ESTABLISHED 1859 WHERE ECONOMY RULES

SATURDAY MARKET REPORT
Skating Supper Menus
WINTER SPORTS all on A&P's Program Tomorrow
Stations WEEI at 9:15 A.M. and WBZ at 10:30 A.M.

Prices for Boston & Vicinity

EGGS

NEW ARRIVALS—NOT COLD STORAGE
Selected NO. ONES DOZEN 19c
Sunnybrooks DOZ. 27c
Henneries DOZEN 33c

BACON SILVERBROOK SLICED LB. 17c

FLOUR 24½ LB. BAG 75c
PILLSBURY OR GOLD MEDAL

LARD IN PACKAGE OR IN BULK POUND 7c

SUNNYFIELD—CELLOPHANE WRAPPED
Shoulders 4 to 6 LB. AVER. LB. 15c

Plain Rye Bread 20 ounce loaf 7c
GRANDMOTHER'S—SLICED or UNSLICED
White Bread 20 ounce loaf 7c
Crab Meat Fancy Imported No. ½ can 25c
Old Munich Malt can 25c
P & G Soap 7 cakes 25c

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

Bananas 4 LBS. 21c
Grapefruit 3 MED. SIZE 13c
GRAPEFRUIT - large size 3 for 17c
Spinach Southern 3 LBS. 19c
Lettuce Iceberg Med. Size 2 HDS. 15c

5 for 25c
Sunnyfield Oats Quick or Regular 20 ounce pkgs.
Sparkle Dessert A Gelatine Dessert Assorted Flavors
Palmolive Soap Beads package

4 for 25c
Van Camp's Milk Evaporated—tall cans
Beets or Carrots Diced—No. 1 cans
Maine Sardines Underwood's—in cans
Palmolive Soap Recommended by beauty experts
Old Dutch Cleanser cans
Camay Soap

3 for 25c
A&P Bantam Corn Fancy Maine Golden Bantam—No. 2
Quaker Oats Quick or Regular small packages
Quaker Maid Ketchup small bottles
Campbell's Tomato Juice cans
Comet Rice A substitute for potatoes—package

2 for 25c
Del Maiz Corn Crushed or Niblets—can
Mello-Wheat Cereal 28 ounce pkgs.
Shredded Codfish Beardsley's packages
Encore Mayonnaise 8½ oz. jars
Grapefruit Florida fruits—in sections—No. 2 cans
Rajah Currants packages
Iroquois Cookies NBC pound
NBC Fig Bars NBC pound
Prince Albert Tobacco tin
Selox Saves you work as well as money—packages

PUREED FOODS
Van Camp's Baby Food 7 Varieties
Science brings them to your baby for greater health and vigor. Your doctor knows how good they are. 6 oz. cans 2 for 25c

A&P Food Stores of New England
The Great ATLANTIC & PACIFIC Tea Co.

TOO SMART AT CARDS TO LIVE TOGETHER

Salem, Feb. 5—The great American game of poker proved too much of a strain on the bonds of matrimony for the family of Ury Dinerman, now a credit clothier but formerly a high commissioned officer in the Russian army.

Dinerman is contesting the separate support action of his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Dinerman, now of Mattapan, and asks the court to rule that he is living apart for justifiable cause. Judge Harry H. Dow is hearing the cross-actions.

The Dinermans came here from Russia 18 years years ago, and Mrs. Dinerman pushed a banana cart in Philadelphia to help launch him in business. But, since then, she has developed into a smart poker and bridge player, her husband claims.

Merriment crept into the case when Dinerman read a letter he said his wife left when she left him a few weeks ago. The letter started off:

"Hello, and good-by. I am doing you a favor. I am leaving you. No more will you have any trouble with me."

THOUSANDS IN RUSH TO GET

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found today near a street car stop in Lowell. He had tired to crank his auto, failed and died of a heart attack as he went for a car.

HEART ATTACK FATAL

Another victim was Mrs. Margaret Kain, 69, of Essex st., Swampscott, who died in Lynn Hospital from heart disease after struggling home in the storm.

Radio station WEEI, which like the other local stations went out of commission in the storm, was still off the air today, while workmen chopped ice to reach the tops of the transmitting towers in Weymouth to repair damage.

Forty couples, hopelessly stalled on the International Highway between Revere and Malden, were found by police huddled in a building at Muller's airport. It was 5 o'clock before all were rescued.

As many more cars were stalled at the Malden end of this highway and a vigilance committee marched up and down the line of machines through the night keeping everybody awake for their own safety.

SEVERAL INJURED

Metropolitan officers took nearly 50 auto parties from cars on the east side of Spy pond in trucks to Stoneham and Melrose, where they got buses home.

Philip McDonigle, 44 Logan pk., Medford, was struck by an auto in South st., that city, and injured on the back and legs.

Francis J. Henry, 3 Chester ct., Malden, was hit by a car in Central ave., Medford, and taken to Malden Hospital.

More than 5000 men were put to work attacking the snow with Boston, about 4000 of them being in addition to the regular forces.

Winter sports sections and the railroads prepared for a big rush of business with conditions ideal for the first time this winter.

DRAWBRIDGE WRECKED

The storm was centered over Halifax, N. S. today, with snow still falling around Eastport, Me., on the rim of the storm area. No more snow is in sight, according to the weather bureau.

Gales were blowing off the coast, making conditions hazardous for ships. The bride on the only direct highway between Fall River and Newport, R. I., was wrecked by a tanker bound from Fall River to Boston and cannot be repaired for two months, engineers said.

On the Lyn Marsh road, between Revere and Lynn, more than a dozen cars were stalled and the occupants rescued by the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway.

TRAINS DERAILED

At other points throughout Greater Boston and the whole section hit by the storm, autos were buried in the snow. Some drivers narrowly missed going over embankments.

The railroad train derailments at Arlington this morning in the rush hour both occurred at the Massachusetts ave. crossing and tied up motor traffic and the Boston Elevated street car line to Harvard sq. as well.

Snow, packed inside the rails, threw the 7:04 a. m. train from Boston to Bedford off the track and caused a complete tieup for 14 minutes.

From the same cause the Lowell-to-Boston train, via Lexington, went off the rails only a short time after the line had been cleared. This tieup was complete for 19 minutes.

TIEUP OF 21 MINUTES.

At Wellington, near Middlesex ave., on the Medford branch, a train due in Boston at 7:36 a. m. left the rails and the tieup lasted 21 minutes.

This Medford train, while outbound earlier in the morning, had plowed through deep snow, arriving at Medford 10 minutes late, and the return trip to Boston began 16 minutes late.

The Bangor to Boston night express was delayed 16 minutes, but generally on the main lines the Boston & Maine kept its trains moving on schedule.

Employes of the street and park departments went on duty at 11 p. m. last night, but it was not until about 4 a. m. when the snowfall ended, that their work became really effective. More than 150 plows were in operation all through the night cleaning passage through the wet, clinging snow. They were reinforced later by four tractors and squadrons of trucks and teams to remove the snow.

P. A. O'CONNELL HONORED

President of Slattery's Elected Head of National Dry Goods Group

P. A. O'CONNELL

New York, Feb. 5—P. A. O'Connell, president of the E. T. Slattery Co., Boston, was elected president of the National Retail Dry Goods Association at its convention here. O'Connell was vice-president for New England.

In accepting the presidency, O'Connell said:

"The retail merchants of this country realize more than ever the tremendous benefit that comes to them from the National Dry Goods Association. The association has a membership of 3700 stores, doing a combined business of more than $7,600,000,000 a year, and includes the largest and most important retail organizations in practically every city of the United States.

"The only group that can start the wheels of business turning again are the retail merchants, and they can do it only by supplying the best possible values in merchandise that the public needs, and by presenting it so attractively that the vast number of people, who can, will choose to buy rather than to hoard.

"This is the task before the retail merchants of the United States in 1932. I am confident we shall succeed and in this success the National Retail Dry Goods Association will have a most important part."

Card Party to Aid K. of C. Charities

Brookline Council, K. of C., will gather at Town Hall tonight for the annual charity bridge and whist party. The Knights have 125 prizes for winners. Selectman William J. Hickey, Jr., Assessors Edward O. Mullowney and William McDonough are on the committees.

FREED "LIFER" TO START AGAIN

After 20 years in State prison, Angelo Dieletto is free today, having received a pardon from a life sentence for murder.

Rejoicing in his regained freedom and promising to show that he is deserving of the executive clemency granted him he left for his former home in East Longmeadow.

He was convicted in 1912 of the murder of Fiore di Lorenzo at Springfield.

"I'll work at anything I can get," he said "and I intend to be good. I intend to live with an aunt in East Longmeadow and try to forget. Things are so different now. I am not accustomed to anything yet, but I do know it's fine to be free again."

LEATHER, WOOL AUTOS TO AID IDLE FUND

The United Boston Unemployment Relief Campaign received a new impetus today when the leather, wool, cotton and automobile trade representatives declared they had not had sufficient time to get their subscriptions together, but promised heavy contributions.

As a result, the $3,000,000 drive may be held open into next week to receive these pledges to swell the fund, which, at the opening of today's endeavors had reached $2,131,647.14.

Because of the campaign, a long-planned honeymoon trip to Cuba went glimmering today for Fred H. Dorn of 107 Maple st., West Roxbury, and he sent in a check for $100 which he had planned to use for his trip.

ELOQUENCE WINS $400

Pledges for $400 were also received from workers of a garment shop in Kneeland st., whom Dudley Cooney, son of Howard Cooney, had solicited three times without success. An accompanying note said the workers had been stirred by young Cooney's address and had decided, after he had left, that they would subscribe.

A group of 500 extra men joined the campaign "flying squadron" today in an effort to finish canvassing the business section. The Special Gifts committee will also start a renewed drive, and Mrs. W. J. McDonald, chairman of the Booth committee, will have her workers out.

The campaign committee hopes today to receive many responses to the call, issued two days ago, for 100 volunteers to donate $5,000 each. This would furnish $500,000

RICH 'POORER' THAN POOR

Darrow Tells About Loeb Trial

New York, Feb. 5 (INS)—"In a terrible crisis, there is only one element more helpless than the poor, and that is the rich." Clarence Darrow, lawyer, wrote in his book, "The Story of My Life," published today, in referring to the famous Loeb-Leopold case.

Clarence Darrow

"I went in to do what I could for sanity and humanity against the wave of hatred and malice," he said of his connection with the Chicago case.

Had the parents of the two boys been poor, he maintained, a plea of guilty would have been accepted and a life sentence imposed without a contest.

Darrow declared if he had the power, he would abolish the electric chair, destroy all prisons and take all criminal authority from the courts.

Reviewing his own 70-odd years, Darrow wrote:

"The most satisfactory part of a man's life is the time spent asleep."

Grocery Orders for Needy in Everett

Everett police officers have been ordered to investigate all welfare cases. City Almoner James D. Woodruff announced that all cash payments to the poor have been discontinued. In the future only grocery orders will be given the poor. Those whose rents are paid for by the city will be given rent money, however, it was stated.

SILVER ARROW
37 PASSENGER
MOTOR COACHES
TO
LOWELL, LAWRENCE, AND HAVERHILL

FARES	ONE WAY	ROUND TRIP
LOWELL	65¢	$1.00
LAWRENCE	65¢	$1.00
HAVERHILL	90¢	$1.25

Leave Everett Terminal Hourly
TIME TABLES AT PARK ST. SUBWAY INFORMATION
EASTERN MASSACHUSETTS STREET RAILWAY

Today, in the real estate columns of the Classified Ads, you will find scores of opportunities for profitable investment.

BOSTON WHOLESALE MILLINERY
Blake Bldg. 59 TEMPLE PLACE 3rd Floor

Pep Up Your Appearance!
SALE of HATS

HUNDREDS of Freshly Opened, Sparkling New Spring Models

$1.79

Large and small headsizes

New Cellophane Turban Pin Trimmed

New cellophane Turbans, rough straws . . . extra large headsizes. New brim hats, all colors. Hats so smart and well made that they look much more expensive.

New Straw Turban, 2½ Yeatbrim

New Straw Touchdown Brim

UPSTAIRS—3rd FLOOR—59 TEMPLE PLACE

DISCOVERED!...An Amazing Baking Secret That Means Better Bread for Millions

MARY, YOU LOOK FRESH AS A DAISY
AND TO HERSELF: I wish I dared ask her how she does it!
YOU'VE CERTAINLY BEEN THE LIFE OF THE PARTY
AND TO HERSELF: I'd give a lot to know how she keeps so young and slim

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BALANCED-BLEND

discovered after two years of painstaking research, makes Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread—the successor to whole wheat bread—more easily digested, and *far* more delicious

Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread is utterly new and different! Unlike ordinary whole wheat bread, it is fully nourishing and easy to digest. Doubly delicious, too. The reason? Balanced-Blend.

Just the *right* amount of choice stone-ground whole wheat flour! Just the right amount of selected short patent flour! Skillfully blended. That's Balanced-Blend. Simple! But it took two years to discover that exact blend. And it created this new, delicious bread—*Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread.*

Do not confuse *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread* with ordinary whole wheat bread. You can *taste* the difference—for *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread* tastes like cake! You can *feel* the difference—not the slightest hint of harshness in *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread.* Experts will tell you that *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread* is more easily digested. See your grocer today. Ask him for this new and better bread—WONDER-CUT WHEAT BREAD. Oven-fresh.

DON'T MAKE THIS MISTAKE!—Trim figures and rosy cheeks do not come from bottles. They are not won by trick treatments. Good food and exercise are the only "secret." Good food, of course, includes a good portion of *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread.*

See the brown and green wrapper

THEY WORKED TWO LONG YEARS TO DISCOVER
BALANCED-BLEND

It took a food scientist and a master baker, working together steadily, two years to discover Balanced-Blend—our perfect blend of stone-ground whole wheat and short patent flour. A hard task, and a tedious one! But today thousands thank them for creating the world's most delicious bread—*Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread.* They invite you to serve *Wonder-Cut Wheat Bread* and discover its delightful flavor and goodness for yourself.

WONDER-CUT WHEAT BREAD

The Successor to Whole Wheat Bread

WIFE BITES SKI CHAMP IN ROW WITH RIVAL

New York, Feb 5 (AP)—... on both shoulders in his wife and beaten by a mob who mauled him ... at 1 a. m. according to the complaint of Cecil C. Cowan ... led him to defer ... ...both in Existing Magistrates Court.

Cowan, former ski champion of Canada, accused Owen Moore, son of Herman Atkins Moore, ... of pummeling him when he tried to prevent him from entering his home.

Mrs. Cowan, ... Moore, Miriam Anderson, ... He admitted he ... trouble and too ... him unconscious.

Mrs. Cowan and Mitchell were held in $1000 bail each ... sessions.

Young Mr. Moore is ... for his McKinley ... Columbia U.

HUNT FOR MORE QUAKE VICTIMS IN SANTIAGO

Santiago, Cuba, Feb 5 (AP)—... workers, ... employees of the ... department of ... today ... pose of wreckage in an attempt to ... ... the number of dead from the earthquakes that ... the town Tuesday.

... of ... has been raised ... and ... Los Del Rosal, ... city chief of Oriente Province, ... and the fear that many more bodies might be found.

... ... and shelter ... were on the way to Santiago from ... in response to the ... of high officials. Bond ... were under construction ... and it was hoped hundreds of ... would return to the ... Even so, ... would be fed ...

... ... shocks that ... ... in charge ... ...

Dr. Griggs to Lecture

Dr. Edward Howard Griggs will ... the 6th annual series of ... ... under the auspices of the ... Ford Institutes in the Under ... ... Newton, on February ... and 26 and March 4, 11 and 18. ... ... topic will be "The ... ... Congress of ...

Man Drops Dead in Basement of Building

George F. Fort, 70, of 61 Sand ... ... Wednesday ... ... the building at 37 Bulfinch ... ... in the basement of the ... building late yesterday and died ... ...

Garment Strike If Efforts Fail

Local leaders have been ordered ... ... a strike of 3000 men ... and women members of ... unions affiliated with the Interna... ... Ladies Garment Workers' Union on February 15 if union ... leaders are unable to have a new ... and work rules agreement ... ... by the manufacturers before ... date.

Harris Boomed for Governor's Council

James G. Harris of Medford, former member of the executive council is being mentioned for ... ... to that position again to ... ... Councilor Joseph O. Knox ... of Medford, who has been ... ... Harris served as a ... member of the council under Governor Coolidge.

GIRL GETS AMELIA'S 'LUCK'

Aviatrix to Use Rabbit Foot in Hop

Chicago, Feb. 5 (AP)—Amelia Earhart's rabbit foot may fly the Atlantic again.

It accompanied Miss Earhart on her flight the first ever made by a woman ... ... the gift of Lo Lodyne.

But Miss Muriel Connelly, a Denver girl flier, confided yesterday Miss Earhart gave her the good luck charm last year.

"I told her of my dream of making a solo flight over the Atlantic in 1932," she said.

"'Carry this,' Miss Earhart replied, handing me the rabbit foot. 'I hope it brings you luck.'"

Miss Connelly, daughter of Mrs Mamie P. Connelly, Denver clubwoman, says she is determined to ... ...

A friend ... ... her ... ... last year. She was too proud to go home and admit defeat.

So she leased a rooming house and hopes the revenue will finance the transatlantic attempt.

"And it won't be just luck," she said, rubbing the rabbit foot.

Like a thunderbolt out of the blue comes this amazing announcement that for the first time in our history we will clear our floors regardless of loss, to make room for merchandise coming ... You can save 50% to 75% by taking advantage of this sale. See these values.

CLEAR the DECKS! of all Used Furniture

Were our orders from the firm! ... Nothing can withstand the onslaught! ... Every piece will be marked so low that it will make even our executives gasp in amazement.

$1 Specials! Springs $1 Beds $1 Pillows $1

SPECIAL! 3-Piece Bed Outfit BED, SPRING, MAT TRESS $6.00

6-Room Home Outfit $64 Complete

2-Pc. Lawson Parlor Set $19

Wood Beds $3.95

Cane Panel Beds..$3.95	3-Pc. Bedroom Set..$29
Chifforobes $6.95	Day Bed & Mattress $4.95
3-Pc. Parlor Set....$15	3-Pc. Parlor Set....$19
Dec. Breakfast Set $4.95	6-Pc. Dinette Set...$19
4-Pc. Bedroom Set..$29	Jac. Parlor Set $29
Hollywood Vanity..$7.50	Large Bookcase . $9.50
6-Pc. Dining Set....$15	4-Pc. Bedroom Set .$29
3-Pc. Parlor Set....$10	Coil Springs $2.95
8-Pc. Dining Set $22.50	3-Pc. Mohair Set...$39
3-Pc. Bedroom Set..$15	4-Pc. Bedroom Set $39
Overstuffed Chairs $3.95	3-Pc. Parlor Set....$10
3-Pc. Bedroom Set $22.50	Davenport Table..$1.95
Dining Chairs $1.00	Drop'f Porc. T'bles $6.95
	3-Pc. Mohair Set ..$29

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CHUCK ROAST has become one of New England's most popular meat dishes. It is delicious, tender and tasty—and very economical to serve. Try a chuck roast from your First National Market—cut from prime heavy steer beef that has been carefully aged in a cool dry temperature to the point of greatest tenderness and palatability. Serve chuck roast this week-end.

CHUCK ROAST BONELESS OVEN OR POT ROAST Lb 27c

The popular bone ess roast
FACE OF RUMP LB 29c

Cut from heavy steer beef
SIRLOIN ROAST BONELESS LB 47c

Best cuts of prime beef
RIB ROAST LB 25c

Soft meated—genuine spring lamb
LAMB LEGS LB 22c

Boned and rolled if desired
LAMB FORES LB 10c

Any weight roast—fresh young pork
PORK LOINS RIB or CHINE LB 12c

Nice pork roasts—5 to 7 lbs. each, loin—short shank
FRESH SHOULDERS LB 10c

Best cuts—heavy corn fed beef
RUMP STEAK LB 49c

Cut from corn fed quality beef
TOP ROUND STEAK LB 37c

Cooks quickly—tender and delicious
CUBE STEAK LB 29c

Ground fresh—lean
HAMBURG STEAK 2 LBS 25c

« CORNED BEEF »

Best cuts—mildly cured
FANCY BRISKET LB 25c

Mildly cured—not salty
LEAN ENDS LB 19c

Mildly cured
MIDDLE RIBS LB 12½c

ANOTHER LOT OF THESE WONDERFUL 6 to 8 lbs each—the most marvelous roasting chickens
Capons Lb 35c

Smelts FANCY MEDIUM SIZE 2 LBS 25c
Haddock FRESH CAUGHT DRESSED AS DESIRED LB 8c
Fillet of Sole FRESH FLOUNDER VARIETY LB 21c
Smoked Fillets LB 19c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Apples	FANCY STAYMANS	5 LBS 23c
Broccoli	FANCY CALIFORNIA	2 LBS 15c
Spinach		3 LBS 19c
Grapefruit	LARGE FLORIDA	5 FOR 25c
Oranges	LARGE SWEET CALIFORNIAS	DOZ 33c

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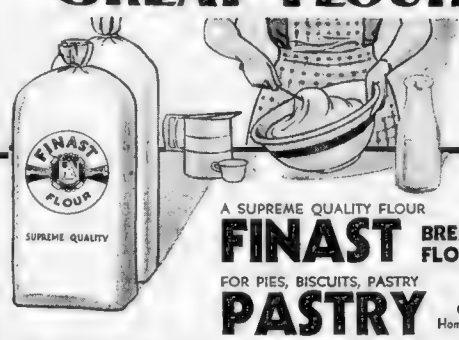

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FINAST BREAD FLOUR LGE 24½ LB BAG 53c

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TWO NATIONAL FAVORITES AT SPECIAL PRICES 24½ LB BAG
GOLD MEDAL or **PILLSBURY'S** 75c

BUFFET FRUITS ASSORTED KINDS 6 8 oz TINS 43c

Oakite Cleans Linoleum, Tiles Painted Surfaces 2 PKGS 23c

FAIRY SOAP 5 BARS 19c

OXOL Whitens and removes stains from clothes BOT 17c

BROOKSIDE ROLL **BUTTER** FROM AMERICA'S FINEST CREAMERIES 2 LBS 49c

BACON Fancy Sliced— Sugar Cured— Breakfast Bacon LB 17c

EGGS These are not storage eggs. Nothing but new laid selected quality
WILLIAM ELLIOT Doz 27c HENFIELD Doz 19c

RICE FANCY BLUE ROSE 3 LBS 10c

SALT FREE RUNNING 2 24 oz PKGS 9c

MATCHES STRIKE ANYWHERE 6 LARGE BOXES 17c

GRAPE-FRUIT No 2 TIN 10c

SPECIAL FRIDAY
RAISIN BREAD Chock full of raisins LARGE 20 oz LOAF 8c

DOUGHNUTS SPECIAL SALE THIS WEEK Free from any greasy taste DOZ 15c

SALADA TEA FRESH FROM THE GARDENS 4 oz PKG 23c 8 oz PKG 45c

THIS IS DOLE'S No. 1 SLICED PINEAPPLE—THE NEW VACUUM PACK
Finast Pineapple or **Del Monte Pineapple** 2 LGE TINS 29c

»THIS WEEK'S UNEEDA BAKERS' SPECIALS«
Vanilla Susans Lb 25c
Champion Flake Butters 2 1 Lb Pkgs 25c

Pillsbury's Pancake Flour 2 20 oz Pkgs 19c
Pillsbury's Health Bran 20 oz Pkg 15c

Brookside Milk 4% Butter Fat—a solid ... sold in our stores daily Qt 8c
Coffee KYBO Lb Tin 29c RICHMOND Lb 19c

PRICES FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY

FIRST NATIONAL STORES INC.

40 DELEGATES WILL GO TO CONVENTION

[illegible] delegation from the Bay State will number 40 members.

[illegible] delegates [illegible] and [illegible] present [illegible]

A [illegible] state [illegible] to go [illegible] each [illegible] was [illegible] delegates.

"Therefore declared Donahue, "the situation stands that Massachusetts will have 32 delegates for the 16 congressional districts, each delegate having a full vote, and may, and probably will have eight delegates representing the two senators with half a voteeach—a delegation of 40 members."

YOUTH HELD IN POLICE ATTACK

Joseph Kay[illegible] at [illegible] Hudson now [illegible] Jersey school [illegible] disease. Superior Court [illegible] days on a charge [illegible] dangerous weapon with [illegible] murder Patrick J. [illegible] of Framingham.

Last [illegible] was [illegible] year [illegible] Park [illegible] several [illegible] were [illegible] heard [illegible] went [illegible] [illegible] to a [illegible] from a [illegible] suited.

On the night of October [illegible] after several [illegible] and [illegible] Framingham Police [illegible] came [illegible] of [illegible] Framingham [illegible] Kay, a [illegible] ian [illegible] flashlight on a man.

The man [illegible] was [illegible] later [illegible] for [illegible] which [illegible] received [illegible] without [illegible] had a [illegible]

Daly New Head of Medford Chamber

Charles J. [illegible] was [illegible] the [illegible] of Medford [illegible] president [illegible] of the Medford Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds [illegible] who [illegible] James A. Lyon [illegible] vice-president. [illegible] opened [illegible] permanent [illegible] First Nat[illegible] Bank [illegible]

Rich Gems Gone

Princess Alexis Mdivani, formerly Miss Louise Astor Van Alen, in London today reported the loss of a pair of pearl earrings which she said were worth $[illegible]. The princess married at Newport, R. I., last June.

London, Feb. 5 (INS).—Princess Alexis Mdivani, the former Louise Astor Van Alen of New York, reported to police today that [illegible] pearl earrings worth [illegible] had disappeared [illegible]

Princess Mdivani said she left the jewelry while shopping in the West [illegible] district. [illegible] returned [illegible] where the prince and [illegible] were [illegible] their home.

The American girl was married to Prince Mdivani, at Newport, R. I., [illegible]

RESERVE BANKS TO AID DAWES LOAN BOARD

Washington, Feb. 5 AP.—The Reconstruction Finance Corporation has adopted a policy of [illegible] and will [illegible] to the present credit [illegible] of the federal government.

The backbone of the [illegible] presumably [illegible] will be the Federal Reserve System.

Each Federal Reserve bank and their branches will be used as much as possible, it was already [illegible] engaged in the [illegible] local affairs and [illegible] activities.

In addition, the old War Finance Corporation [illegible] as skeleton organization which will be used when [illegible]

The board [illegible] conferred with Miss [illegible] Agnes Dawes, [illegible] head, [illegible] at Cave and [illegible] particular attention to the [illegible] bank [illegible] loan.

The board has not [illegible] applications before it. Any [illegible] made by Miss Dawes, president of the Pennsylvania Federal, that he would apply for a construction loan was received with interest by without comment.

Woburn Coaster Killed by Auto

Another victim was added to the list caused by fatalities when Constantine Trombley, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Constantine Trombley, 12 North Warren st., Woburn, coasting down Cross Hill, ran into the path of an auto yesterday driven by Robert F. Noyes of Foxboro, and was crushed to death beneath the machine.

In an effort to avoid the boy, Noyes swerved his car and crashed into the house of Miss Catherine Doherty at 1 North Warren st.

Will Provides for Pets

Mrs. Anne Rose Check of 241 Columbia rd., Dorchester, provided in her will, filed in Suffolk County records that any institution which would care for her animal pets should receive $500.

Lovers Once

The following editorial is reprinted from the New York Evening Sun, February 3, 1932:

IN the campaign of the great and solemn referendum of 1920 no voice was raised more earnestly for the nation's [illegible] American entrance into the League of Nations than the voice of Franklin D. Roosevelt. He was running for Vice President of the United States. He and Mr. Cox made the league the big issue of the day. Mr. Roosevelt, then only 38 years old and imbued with the idealism of President Wilson, traveled the country trumpeting the glories of the league and challenging every opponent of Mr. Wilson's international-istic program. Nor did Mr. Roosevelt's enthusiasm for the league die with the passing of Mr. Wilson. He became, and we believe still is a trustee of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, which so recently as 1929 awarded its peace prize to the league in recognition of its ten years' work in behalf of peace. Indeed, he served as the foundation's national chairman for one term.

Last night Franklin D. Roosevelt, now 50 and the leading candidate for the Democratic nomination for President, laid the league ideal on the ash heap of the past, where it keeps company with the recent renunciation of another Presidential candidate, Newton D. Baker. If Governor Roosevelt's rejection of his old ideal looms larger than that of Mr. Baker it is because he made it more complete, less tied with strings.

The league, he says, is not the league conceived by Wilson. It has not developed along the lines laid down by its founder. Too often, Mr. Roosevelt finds, it has been merely a meeting place for the "political discussion of strictly European political national difficulties." We remember no murmur of dissent from Trustee Roosevelt when the Wilson Foundation laid its laurels at the league's feet two years ago. But let that go; the acolyte of other days finds that the league is not what it used to be. We may add, with due reverence to Punch, that it never was.

ELY SAYS SLUMP IS AT BOTTOM

Lawrence, Feb. 5—If the federal government and the governments of other states had followed the example of Massachusetts last year in providing employment through public works projects one-third of the nation a present total of unemployed would be at work today, Governor Ely said at the banquet of the Lawrence Central Labor Union, here last night.

The governor said that at present more persons are employed on public works in this state than were similarly employed at any time last year.

He expressed his belief that the worst of the depression is over, but made it plain he did not want to create the impression that he thinks "prosperity is just around the corner." The fact that "commodity prices have about reached bottom," the governor takes as an indication that better times are ahead.

Parked Car Looted

Jewelry and wearing apparel valued at nearly $1500 was stolen from the automobile of Robert E. Greenwood of 33 Mechanic st., Fitchburg, while it was parked in Brighton.

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THIS IS LIFE

MRS. GILSON SEEMS TO AGREE THAT STUPIDITY IS PUBLIC'S TRAIT

—By ROBERT E. ROGERS—

ROBERT E. ROGERS

MRS. CLAUDE U. GILSON seems to have been reading Walter Bagehot. At least what she said on Wednesday evening before the Women's Republican Club has a familiar ring. According to press reports, she said that a sure cure for hard times is to hand over the city government to a few stupid people and let out all the smart and brilliant politicians. City government is such a simple affair that the smart men at the helm have become bored and have made of it a complex thing. Stupid people are less imaginative, more honest, and would, therefore, be inclined to be more conscientious and devote all their time to the problem before them.

We assume that Mrs. Gilson is speaking of city government in Republican Philadelphia as well as in Democratic Boston. For she knows, of course, that the evils of city government in America have nothing at all to do with the particular party which happens to be in power. This understood, let us look at what Walter Bagehot had to say over a half a century ago.

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"Stupidity Free People's Chief Quality"

Walter Bagehot was an English publicist and a conservative student of politics, even as Mrs. Gilson. In his letter on "The French Coup D'Etat of 1851," as quoted by Professor Penfield Roberts of M. I. T. in his "Introduction to American Politics," Bagehot said:

"I fear you will laugh when I tell you what I conceive to be about the most essential mental quality for a free people, whose liberty is to be progressive, permanent and on a large scale. It is much stupidity. I need not say that in real sound stupidity the English are unrivalled. You'll hear more wit and better wit in an Irish street row than would keep the House of Commons in humor for five weeks.

In fact, what we opprobriously call stupidity, though not an endearing quality in common society, is Nature's favorite resource for preserving steadiness of conduct and consistency of opinion. It enforces concentration. People who learn slowly learn only that they must. The best security for people doing their duty is that they should not know anything else to do; the best security for fixedness of opinion is that people should be incapable of comprehending what is to be said on the other side. I advisedly maintain that nations, just as individuals, may be too clever to be practical, and not dull enough to be free."

This is, of course, in praise of the English temperament and what the English call "muddling through." A day or two ago Mr. Gilbert Seldes in his column analyzed from front page to back a recent English newspaper and commented on the lack of sensationalism to be found therein, the steadiness and coolness, the refusal to be flustered and hurried, the phlegmatic or "stupid" quality of it. He seemed to think that all this augured well for England's future.

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Raise and Bluff, Our Motto

Certainly the past decade, as described in Frederick L. Allen's admirable book, "Only Yesterday," would seem to back up Walter Bagehot and Mrs. Gilson. As our homely phrase had it, we got "too big for our boots," we "outgrew our hats." Our education has deliberately tried to develop the qualities of an ambitious, progressive people. We have been educated for alertness, speed, inventiveness, ingenuity, daring. Opportunity, we have been told is unlimited for those who will make opportunity; the sky has been our limit. The vocabulary of the poker table has been the vocabulary of our business and politics: Raise and bluff!

Conversely there is no doubt that the lessons of experience of tradition, of calculation, of conservatism have been disregarded and despised.

Generally speaking, I imagine that it could be proved that wherever the conduct of business, banking or municipal government has been stupid—i. e., slow, conservative, timid, economical, thrifty, traditional, stuck-in-the-mud—such institutions are at present safe. And where the conduct of business has been deliberately "progressive," opportunistic, clever, ingenious, theoretical, "full of vision," and the like, institutions have suffered.

It is illogical, however necessary, to indict directors of guilted banks as criminals. These people were "typical" Americans, in the worst sense of the word. They believed that they could control events. Their real error is that they disregarded the old slow laws of human progress. Many of those laws are embodied in statutes which have come down to us from the past. When fact and statute coincide, these clever playboys of finance and business are out of luck.

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Mrs. Gilson Wrong on This

Mr. Calvin Coolidge has very wisely said this, for Mr. Coolidge is an excellent example of that safe and instinctive "stupidity" that Mr. Bagehot speaks of. That is why he is today the most trusted man in America.

With Mrs. Gilson's postscript I cannot agree. She is reported to have said that the clerks, stenographers and sales-people would make as good mayors, councilmen and public officials as those now in office. Since they are steeped in the economies of life, they would run a simple machine in a simple and sincere fashion. All the large cities of the country are operated by men who are too smart.

But—one caveat—most of the people who run our cities are of the same stock and strain as these clerks and stenographers she speaks of. Poor people on the make, many of them clever, badly educated people, who only need a chance to play with power and large sums. No people are really so wasteful and extravagant in proportion to their means as the very poor. That is why there is so little responsibility for public money in our city governments.

No, Mrs. Gilson, what we need are the business and professional men of the older generation, trained in habits of honesty, prudence, economy, responsibility, who know the value of a dollar and of a subordinate's work. Stupid if you like, unprogressive, but the old, safe aristocracy of America. Incidentally, Mr. Mellon was one of them, the greatest Secretary of the Treasury since Glass.

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Exercises at New Town Hall Saturday

The new town hall in Watertown will be formally taken over by the town tomorrow. The building will be accepted in behalf of the town by the board of selectmen. The building will be ready for occupancy next month.

Change in Building Regulations Asked

A plan to modify building laws to permit the erection of apartment houses not of first-class construction will be considered at the annual town meeting in Watertown next month. The plan has the approval of the building department.

GUNSMITH SHOOTS BOY RATTLING DOOR

Mrs. Sanborn Denies Forgery in Will Fight

Saw Boy Shot

Carl Wilson, 25, of Stamford st., West End, who is charged, with John Crory, 16, shot and wounded, probably fatally, with an attempt to break and enter Giovanni Morgardi's gunshop in Stamford st. early today. Giovanni shot young Crory when the gunsmith fired through the glass of front door. (Staff photo.)

BOY IS SHOT BY MAN FEARING HOLDUP

Aged Gunsmith, Believing Lad and Friend Planned Murder, Fires Through Door

An alleged attempt by a 16 year-old youth to steal weapons from a North End gunsmith's shop ended early today with the boy perhaps fatally wounded and the gunsmith, Giovanni Morgardi, 64, charged with assault with intent to kill.

The youth who is in Haymarket Relief Hospital is John Crory of Tenney st, West End. He and an alleged companion who took him to the hospital Carl Wilson, 25 of Stamford st., West End are charged with attempting to break and enter in the night time.

Morgardi, whose gunsmith shop has been broken into before, reported to police that he was asleep in the back room early today when he heard the front door of the shop rattling.

TOLD TO GO AWAY

He got up and went out to the door. The youth whom he identified as Crory was rattling the door. The proprietor said while Crory's companion was standing on the sidewalk.

The proprietor motioned for Crory to go away but Crory made signs that he wished to enter.

"I walked up to within a few inches of the door," said Morgardi, "and fired one shot through the glass and hit this fellow. The other man grabbed him then and took him away.

"I'm sorry I shot him but I'm an old man and I was afraid he might kill me."

After police had found Crory and Wilson at Haymarket Relief Hospital, with Crory in a semi-conscious condition with a bullet-ruptured liver, they preferred charges against both and took Wilson to police headquarters where he was in a lineup today.

BROTHER OFFERS BLOOD

At the hospital, a blood transfusion was ordered by physicians in an effort to save young Crory's life and his brother, Philip, 23, offered his blood.

Morgardi, who told police his shop in Richmond st. had been entered twice in two months by gun thieves, was arrested on a technical charge of assault when police learned that Crory was shot while outside the doors.

The shopkeeper was bailed out in $2000 for appearance in municipal court.

MARTHA WASHINGTON, '32

Massachusetts will start its celebration of the 200th anniversary of George Washington in a beautiful pageant, to be held at Symphony Hall, tomorrow evening. Here we have Lucille W. Marsh, who will play the part of Martha Washington in a number of the scenes.

REPLY TO MAID RECEIVED HERE FROM PARIS

Former Actress Says She Never Discussed Father's Fortune With Servant

Domestic [illegible] she assisted in forging and planting documents that played a vital part in her successful fight to break the million-dollar will of her father, John W. Walcott, Natick shoe manufacturer, were contained in affidavits filed in Middlesex Superior Court, by Mrs. Florence M. Sanborn.

Filing of the affidavits by former Dist. Atty. Robert T. Bushnell added another phase to the will case which took a sensational turn when an affidavit was filed by Mrs. Sanborn's only son, Robert W. Sanborn, in which he said his mother had admitted preparing and planting the documents in question.

In her sworn statement Mrs. Sanborn makes no reference to her son's affidavit which was made two days later than hers, but denies charges previously made by her former French maid, Simone [illegible].

Mrs. Sanborn's affidavit was sworn to before the [illegible] of Paris on Jan. 21 her son's affidavit, Wednesday, was sworn to before the same officials on Jan. 23 two days after.

The former actress declares that she never directed the seal in [illegible] any document in her father's house.

Continued from Yesterday

CHIEF FITZ let himself into his home stealthily, deposited his hat on the living-room table and untied it, and then with a roar called out:

"Patrolman Michael Fitzpatrick! Report to headquarters at once!"

[illegible]

"Jim—hello—you're early, aren't you, honey? Dinner's not nearly ready," she said breathlessly.

"It's all right, sweetheart. Plenty of time—Mickey and I have big business for a little while—here you, Fitzpatrick, not so much noise," he broke off as Mickey burst into the room with a wild yell.

"Hello, Dad. Gee, maybe there's time to play awhile before supper. I sure am glad you got home!" he cried excitedly.

"So am I, Mickey, because you and I have high doin's on tonight. Sit down, Patrolman Fitzpatrick, while I give your mother a kiss," big Jim smiled a happy smile, dropping the cares of his office from his shoulders in the fun of the game which he and Mickey played each evening. He gave Mary a kiss and a hug and then turned to the center table with its big box.

PROMOTED TO CORPORAL

"Patrolman, it has come to my attention that you have been an usually conscientious in the pursuit of your duties, that you have faithfully followed the instructions of your superior officers and that you have on several occasions valiantly defended the honor of the department by your numerous behavior in the face of danger or adversity—"

"Oh, say, if you mean fightin' about Uncle Ed, that wasn't—" Mickey broke off, guessing that his mother had said it [illegible] [illegible] Fitzpatrick, Jim didn't seem to notice.

"And in view of this we have decided to reward your most commendable efforts by promoting you to the rank of Corporal. Hence, Corporal Fitzpatrick, are the uniform and accoutrements of your rank." Jim finished his little speech with a flourish and handed Mickey one by one the blue uniform cap, belt, club, and badge which he had hidden in his office drawer. All of these were by no means officers and designed by the tailor who made his own until in

MICKEY IS PLEASED

Mickey was speechless. He [illegible] at the uniform. He had at last "[illegible]" and then, to win Jim's confidence, he let out a war whoop.

"Mamma! Mamma! I'm a corporal. Lookee what Dad brought me—he made me a corporal." He held it up to him and did a mad war dance in the middle of the floor to show Mary the [illegible] she came in breathless from the kitchen.

"I'm a corporal. A corporal! Hurray! Hurray! Some day, maybe, I'll be as great a cop as you and Uncle Ed, won't I?"

Jim didn't answer. His eyes sought Mary's and hers returned the look in [illegible]

"Yes, maybe some day you will be a good cop, Mickey, if you play the game according to the rules. Play it fair and square. Play it for home and not for money. If you ain't sure about something, think it over before you do it. Be sure it's straight, that you'll not be ashamed to tell the whole world about it—that your mother would be proud to know about it. I understand me, son?"

Jim looked very grim and very earnest as he delivered his little sermon. Mickey listened to him in silence and then held out his hand, and with a solemn little face repeated words which Jim had said upon some almost forgotten occasion.

"My duty as an officer is my honor as an officer," and saluted gravely.

"That's right, son. Now for your beat."

And Jim sank down into his easy chair with an arm around the silent Mary's waist. Mickey departed on his rounds, wearing cap and badge and swinging his night stick.

"I heard about Ed, Jim. Aren't you glad you let him off?" Mary began.

"Brother or no brother, Ed should get his the same as any

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DONOVAN TALKS AT B. C. SMOKER

Public life is daily calling for educated leaders, asserted Atty. John L. Donovan of District Atty. Foley's office, speaking before the Boston College juniors at their annual smoker last night at University Heights.

"College education or its equal is a prime requisite for any measure of success in the world of politics as well as in the field of business," he said.

George C. MacKinnon '17 newspaper columnist, told the practices being made by graduates of the college in the field of journalism. H. cited James F. Doolan '21 of the Boston Evening American as the first B. C. graduate to reach the first grade of city editor.

Prominent among the other speakers were Chairman W. Arthur Reilly, '25, of the Boston school board; Francis Quinnet, golf champion, and Jack Sharkey, heavyweight boxer.

Kenneth J. Kelly of Braintree captain of the varsity golf team was toastmaster.

$200,000 Sought for Water Main Damage

A $200,000 damage suit entered in Suffolk Superior Court claims that the huge water main at Governor sq., where excavation has been in progress for months in connection with the new extension to the Boylston st. subway, was allowed to rust and break the pipes leading to a sprinkler system in the property of the General Equipment Corp., and Ernest W. Brown Inc., at 588 Commonwealth ave. The damage from the break is placed at $120,543.

Poisons Are Killing Many in Secret, Says Dr. Boos

More murders are committed by poison than the general public ever suspects Dr. William F. Boos Boston toxicologist declared in an interview.

Slayers using poison escape in many cases, Dr. Boos said, because of police indifference in investigations offering little prospect of publicity, failure of family physicians to diagnose symptoms correctly and the apathy of district attorneys.

Another factor aiding the criminal when suspicions arise late, is the $1000 cost of exhuming a body. Dr. Boos is quoted by the Harvard Crimson as declaring.

Instances of poison in a city near [illegible] Boston recently resulted in a man making two attempts to murder his wife without being in danger of arrest, he said.

Dr. Boos said there exist many poisons for which there is no known definite test. Several deaths by chemicals can be constructed from easily obtainable and in themselves, harmless substances.

He told of a case of a suspected double murder in the drawing room of a girl's home where he was able to prove death due to carbon monoxide by putting two kittens in the room and closing the doors.

LAWYER SAYS WILL HIDDEN

Concealment of a $30,000 will of Mrs. Jennie E. Grady of Boston and Sligo, Ireland, who died three years ago, is to be charged in Suffolk Probate Court by Charles Tove, a Boston lawyer.

Mrs. Grady owned real estate in Newbury st. here and in Ireland where she was a shopkeeper. A conservator was appointed for her property shortly before her death.

After her death Frank X. Wells was appointed special administrator.

In the petition for his appointment it was alleged she had left a will. No will has ever been found. Later, Abner L. Braley was appointed administrator on petition of a dozen heirs.

Tove, who had been her counsel many years, held up distribution of the estate until a search for the will could be made. Recently the court ordered distribution and allowed the administrator a first account. From this Tove yesterday appealed to the Supreme Court. He claims he is the executor named in the will.

Mill Machinery Is Ordered Sold

Judge James A. Lowell, in United States District Court, has ordered the sale of machinery and other personal property of the Whitman Mills of New Bedford at public auction Monday, to satisfy judgments aggregating $229,893.36 held by the First National Bank of Boston, First National Bank of New Bedford, New Bedford Five Cents Savings Bank and the New Bedford Institution for Savings. The machinery is valued at $3,2[illegible]

WOMEN HOST TO HOOVER'S AID

The final dress rehearsal for the George Washington pageant to be given tomorrow at Symphony Hall as the official opening of the Massachusetts George Washington Bicentennial will be held tonight at Symphony Hall.

Mrs. John Dickinson Sherman who arrived in Boston today as official representative of President Hoover's Washington commission, will be a guest tonight at a dinner in the Women's Republican Club. Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole will be toastmaster.

Governor Ely will be the chief speaker at the opening of the Bicentennial observance. He will be introduced by Mrs. Carl L. Schrader.

SEARCH ON FOR TWO BOYS

An appeal to the Boston Evening American to aid in the search for his son, a freshman at Dorchester high school, who with his chum left home last Monday, was made today by John Gillis, of 58 Adams st., Dorchester.

The boy, Joseph, 15, and Richard Morgan, 18, of Hendry st., are thought to be in New York. Joseph is described as five feet, seven inches tall, slim, build, dark complexion, gray eyes and a flat nose. He was wearing brown pants, gray and blue striped mackinaw, black shoes and brown cap.

Everett Man Takes Poison

In a fit of despondency, Eugene Anderson, 43, of Beacham st., Everett, swallowed poison in his home. It is reported he will recover.

Jordan Scout Troop Meets Tomorrow

The Jordan Troop, Boy Scout Troop No. 30, will hold their regular meeting tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. in the assembly hall, ninth floor annex, of the Jordan Marsh Company.

This meeting will be taken up largely with the preparation for the troop's trip to Camp Storrow, better known as Scouland, where they will go primarily for an outing and to furnish an opportunity for those scouts to pass their proficiency tests who have not already done so.

Arrangements have been made for a big weenie roast including cocoa, doughnuts biscuits and apples with plenty for all.

Chief Jim Plays Cop With Son Mickey

By JACK LAIT

SKIPPY

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No Cause for Complaint

By Percy Crosby

MORNIN', NOON AN' NIGHT IT'S NOTHIN' BUT—"WASH YA NECK!"
IT COULD BE WORSE
SHOW COULD ANYTHING BE WORSER?
SUPPOSE YA WAS TOLD TO TAKE A BATH?

STIFF FIGHT IN BROOKLINE CAUCUS FORECAST

5 IN RACE FOR 3 SCHOOL BERTHS

Heavy Vote Predicted With Bitter Contests for Many Town Offices

Contests for school committee, selectman, assessor, auditor, park commissioner, water commissioner and constables are expected to bring out a large vote at the Brookline citizens' caucus next Wednesday.

Chief interest centers in the five cornered contest for three places on the school committee. The Brookline Citizens League, of which the Rev. Crawford O. Smith is chairman, is campaigning in the interests of Dr. Thomas P. Kendrick, former member of the school board.

AID MRS. SCHICK

The Citizens' Committee for the schools is supporting Roger Griswold, Col. Edward B. Willard and Mrs. Lotta Bradburn Schick, the latter now a member. Graham Dana is chairman of the Citizens' Committee. Supporters of Lewis G. Rich, another candidate, are waging a fight in his interests.

In a statement, Rev. Mr. Smith said:

"The members of the league feel that it is not altogether desirable to keep the school committee under the control of those who have never attended the public schools. They are convinced that the schools are safer with a stronger representation of those whose children are pupils of those schools."

Walter J. Cusick, for 21 years a member of the Board of Selectmen, seeks re-nomination and is opposed by Mayor J. Wolf.

SIX IN RACE

Six are seeking the one place as assessor. They are Edward B. Miles, James H. Hendrickson, past commander of Brookline Post A. L., Eugene P. Carver Jr., past national commander-in-chief and state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; David P. Church, town auditor, for ten years; George H. Delano, former town auditor, and Daniel J. O'Neil, Jr.

The four candidates for the three places as auditors are Everett M. Bowker, John L. Carolan, Stewart Deizell, present member, and Donald Hewins.

James F. Quinn, former selectman, and William P. Hickey are opposing Dr. George H. Francis for the water board. Daniel J. Meaney is opposing Paul Hubbard for park commissioner. Those aspiring to be constables—five to be nominated—are Edward J. Fahey, Robert M. Boehner, Joseph P. Cavanaugh, Frank Dolan, Thomas Fahey, Thomas A. Glennon, John Griffin, Charles L. Hapgood, Matthew McNeilly, Edward J. Roycroft, Thomas F. Rowe, Jr., Joseph J. Rowe & Joseph Strahman, George F. Scott, Dr. Tuner and Harry Williams.

$2690 Trimmed From Lynnfield Budget

Following a lengthy session of the finance committee, the town of Lynnfield cut $2690 off budget estimates and will submit a total budget of $97,257.79 as against the 1931 budget of $99,947.99. The committee cut small amounts from practically every department except the welfare department, schools and forestry.

Chinese Fined $25 in Waltham Laundry Price War

The Chinese laundry price war which broke out in Waltham recently was ended yesterday when Soohen Young, proprietor of a laundry on Main st., was fined $25 on a charge of malicious destruction of property.

A similar charge against Lloyd Dong of Linden st. was dismissed. It was alleged that Young caused Dong to receive a pair of scissors in the establishment of Sarge Lee, also on Main st., for cleaning. The garment contained a quantity of dye which caused about $125 worth of Charlie Joe's wash.

1000 Attend Ball of Canadian Club

More than 1000 attended the ball of the Canadian Club of Boston at the Copley Plaza last night. The grand march was led by Capt. Roald Edsarin, president, and Mrs. Charles F. Colwin, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Among those present were Lieut. Governor and Mrs. William S. Youngman, representing the State, and Maj. and Mrs. Charles T. Harding, representing the city.

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ZIONIST CHIEF TO BE FETED

The ban of Mayor Curley on public functions for the city's distinguished visitors will be waived for the first time next week with the arrival here of Nahum Sokolow, president of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, representative of the World Zionist movement.

More than 100 prominent leaders of the city yesterday received invitations to attend a welcoming breakfast to the celebrated orator upon his arrival Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Copley-Plaza.

Medical Student Fined $200 on Rum Charges

Salem, Feb. 5—John Kolesetsky of Lynn, 18-year-old medical student at Boston University, was fined $200 in the superior criminal court here on liquor charges.

Lynn police officers, in charge of shadowing the house where the youth lives with his parents, had watched both parties in the car for liquor he was alleged to have stated. They set up a spotter with a marked bill who they allege, bought a pint of whisky from the student in his home.

POLICE CHIEFS ON BLACKLIST

Registrar Morgan T. Ryan has a blacklist of police officers and police chiefs alleged to have engaged in the practice of playing politics in motor vehicle law violations.

He disclosed the list at a hearing yesterday held by the legislative committee on licenses and motor vehicles to hear testimony to curb the authority of the registrar in suspending and revoking licenses for drunken driving.

The bill is supported by Reps. C. F. Nelson Pratt of Saugus and Ralph Otis of Pittsfield, would deprive the registrar of the right to take away licenses in cases in which motorists have been acquitted by courts.

Pratt and Otis joined in attacking Ryan for his alleged abuses of that power, but the measures were opposed vigorously by Ryan, Frank A. Goodwin, former registrar, Lloyd A. Blanchard of the Governor's committee on street and highway safety, and Rep. Clarence S. Luitweiler of Newton.

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Sixteenth to 25th prizes either sex, 10 prizes of $5 each	100
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3. The contest will close at midnight, February 20. If delivered in person, completed models must be brought to Boston American, 5 Winthrop Sq., Room 705, by 5 p. m. February 20. If sent by parcel post, postage must be fully prepaid and package must bear a post mark not later than midnight, February 20.

4. Completed models which are mailed should be packed with extreme care to prevent breakage. The Boston American cannot be responsible for nor consider for award any entry damaged in transit.

5. Name and address of entrants, together with name of teacher in room and school attended, should be attached firmly to each model. A stringed tag is recommended.

6. Prominent judges will select the winning models, and their decisions must be considered as final in case of ties, duplicate awards will be made. Entrance in the contest indicates acceptance of all printed rules and any that may be made in the future.

7. The Boston American reserves the right to alter or amend these rules at any time before the close of the contest.

8. The Boston American reserves privilege of retaining prize winning models for exhibition purposes for two weeks following announcement of awards.

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SCIENCE STUDYING 3-MONTHS-OLD BABIES' NEW LIGHT ON CHILDHOOD
WHERE ANCIENT ROME'S BEAUTIES BATHED IN BURIED HERCULANEUM
MLLE. DESERICE, THE "FATAL WOMAN" OF PARIS
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YOUNGMAN DEMANDS ELY SIFT CHARGES MADE AGAINST HIM

HOUSE REFUSES PROBE INTO CONTRACTS

Lieut.-Governor Mentioned as Being Involved During Bitter Debate

A demand by Lieut.-Gov. William S. Youngman for an investigation by the governor's council of insinuations that he attempted to influence State contracts, is in the hands of Governor Ely today.

The demand is the aftermath of a stormy debate in the House yesterday when a thin being chorus of pass made the teeth of an attempt to force an inquiry into the awards of State contracts and of an alleged "bonding" racket charged to Governor Ely's official family.

YOUNGMAN MENTIONED

The order for this inquiry, sponsored by Representative C. F. Nelson Pratt of Saugus, was killed by an almost unanimous vote. It was during the debate preceding that the name of Youngman was mentioned.

The reference was made on the floor by Representative John P. Higgins of Boston who in opposing the Pratt order cited testimony given before the House rules committee, in which the name of one Youngman" was mentioned by a witness as having been interested in having certain boilers used in connection with construction of a metropolitan police station in Revere.

Representative Alfred W. Ingalls of Lynn called upon Higgins to explain his reference to Youngman and to tell the House if he intended to convey the idea that the Lieutenant-Governor was behind this movement.

WRITES TO GOVERNOR

Higgins replied to the effect that he was merely reading from testimony before the rules committee, and that he would leave it to the other 239 members of the House to draw their own inferences.

Within an hour after the House session ended Lieutenant-Governor Youngman made public two letters, one to Higgins and the other to Governor Ely, disclaiming any move at any time to influence contracts or the placing of bonds.

In his letter to Governor Ely, the Lieutenant - Governor requested that his Excellency arrange for an investigation by the Governor and Council.

King Winter's Belated Visit Fells Trees and Wires and Stalls Cars—But Gives Jobs

MANY SECTIONS GO BACK TO CANDLES

Candles and lamps came into popularity in many places when heavily weighted feed wires gave way and the lights went Phtt! Here are some down in Granite ave., East Milton.

ONE OF THE HUNDREDS STALLED

Scenes like this were common all over Greater Boston today as owners dug out their stalled autos. Virginia Nadeau is shown writing her initials on a car in Winchester st., South End.

CLEARING THE WRECKAGE

Miss Eunice Wyley of Baker st., Dorchester, wields an axe clearing away a huge tree limb that crashed down into the front of the house next door. (Staff photos.)

JEWISH HOME DRIVE FORGES AHEAD

OPTIMISTIC REPORTS

VICE CHAIRMEN REPORT

Guide for Presidents Dead

Kavanaugh Quits Hospital

CHIEFS FAVOR DEATH PENALTY

The Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association went on record at their annual meeting at the American House as opposed to any change in the law providing for capital punishment for a conviction of murder in the first degree.

Superintendent Michael H. Crowley was unanimously elected president of the association succeeding Chief James R. Travers of Milton.

H. P. Hood, 2d, Leads Ball Grand March

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hood, 2d, were guests of honor last night at the 28th annual ball of the H. P. Hood & Mutual Benefit Association, dance in the Hotel Continental.

More than 1000 members and friends attended. The grand march was led by Mr. Hood and Mrs. Edward Sheehan followed by Mr. Sheehan and Mrs. Hood.

The committee in charge was Clarence Dow, George Babbit, Francis Ford, Joseph Gowan, Henry Wilkenson, Miss Margaret Thornton, Frank E. Jinien and John Foley.

Woman Golf Star at Jordan Marsh Co.

Miss Helen McDonald, one of America's foremost golf professionals will appear personally at the Jordan Marsh Company golf school today and tomorrow, to give advice and instruction without charge.

MAIL CLERK TO STAND TRIAL

Victor L. Mazzon, Lowell postal clerk who was arrested in January following the disappearance of a mail sack containing $10,000 from an Lowell, mail car, was and will have to stand trial on a charge of unlawfully opening and detaining United States mail pouch.

After two weeks observation at the Massachusetts Psychopathic Hospital, the alienists reported to Asst. U. S. Dist. Atty. Hayes Baker that Mazzon was sane.

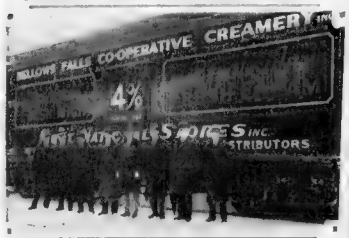
MANY STUDENTS HOLD JOBS

There are 277 pupils in the Medford senior and junior high schools who are working regularly outside school hours, a survey made by the school department shows. Of these 178 are pupils in the senior high and the remaining 99 are in the junior highs. The survey was made in connection with the change in hours for the junior high schools to become effective next September, when junior high schools will run from 8.15 to 1.45 instead of from 8 to 1.45, as at present. Because of the many pupils regularly employed afternoons, a motion to extend the session until later in the afternoons was defeated.

JOBLESS SWARM FOR SNOW WORK

Part of the thousands that besieged the free employment agency in Church st. looking for work removing snow. Over 4000 were put to work in Boston alone.

NEW MILK TRAIN SOON



Twenty-one cars, leased by the First National Stores, Inc., will make up the Brookside Milk Special, to run daily from Bellows Falls, Vt., to Boston. Here is the first of the 21 cars to be delivered. The officials in the photograph are, left to right, A. H. Anderson, C. F. MacLennan, John Felt, R. H. Underwood, C. F. Adams, John Sullivan, W. C. Harriman and W. L. Costello.

MILK TRAIN IN SERVICE SOON

The first car in a Brookside Milk special Texas train which will run daily from Bellows Falls, Vt., to Boston has been leased by First National Stores, Inc., from the Boston and Maine Railroad, and will soon be in full operation.

Each car is painted in a red and white design and the complete train will be the only one of its kind in the country delivering milk to a chain store system direct from the farmer.

The cars are refrigerator type especially equipped for milk service, 36 feet in length, with capacity of 600 cases, or 7200 quarts.

Among those who greeted the train upon its arrival yesterday at the North Station were A. H. Anderson, superintendent at Concord, N. H.; C. F. MacLennan, manager of the Bellows Falls Co-operative Creamery; John Felt, milk distributor for First National Stores; R. H. Underwood, secretary of the agricultural committee of the New England Council; C. F. Adams, treasurer of the First National Stores, Inc.; John Sullivan, Boston and Maine milk agent; W. C. Harriman, Boston and Maine manager; and W. L. Costello, Providence division of the First National Stores, Inc.

HERE AGAIN! The SNOW TRAIN

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RET. Lv. Lincoln 5:30 p.m.

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ASSORTED QUART
PICKLES JAR 27c

CEYLON or ORANGE PEKOE
TEA ¼ lb. Package 25c

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COFFEE lb. 29c

EVAPORATED MILK SELECT BRAND TALL CANS 3 CANS 17c

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CLAUDIA MUZIO TRIUMPHS IN "AIDA"

Girl About Town

By ALYCE SIEMENS

Ode To A Dog

Gals who feed poodles,
Are off their noodle
But men who strut puppies
Deserve loving cuppies
—Halibut Pay some Terhune.

Do We Tell Things!

The [illegible] of views of [illegible] ly B[illegible] ab[illegible] pro[illegible] and de[illegible] law st[illegible] pher[illegible] describ[illegible] 'She s[illegible] like to[illegible] make [illegible] week en[illegible] with [illegible] in New Yo[illegible] Renard D[illegible] and W[illegible] ready adop[illegible] theme son[illegible] Behind l[illegible] on [illegible] seen [illegible] sit [illegible] New Y[illegible] about [illegible] though [illegible] attrac[illegible] Mayor [illegible] peeved at [illegible] Central Park C[illegible] tongue-lashing [illegible] table actions that he won[illegible] grant an interview to a [illegible] for an apology and rumors [illegible] ing that New York's [illegible] see to it that the C[illegible] door is locked.

Pick-Ups

Whenever friends of Harvard's quartet manager, Lester Bartow, read of a Charlestown sentence for some law-breaker, they rush to the nearest phone and ask Lester "Is he a bass or a tenor?" . . . Reason is that Lester trudges daily, early mornings, over to the State's prison just to coach the "voices" behind those gray walls . . . Some corking singers there, too . . . We've snooped on one Boston Mr. and Mrs. who romance right out in public, are happy about it and get a big kick out of "400"—stepping every dance together . . . They are Jordan's ace buyer, [illegible] Solomon and his lovely brunette [illegible] . . . It was pleasant to watch them, there under the palms, with the lights down low, at the Cocoanut Grove, Monday . . . 'a Mars[illegible] . . .

We've Just Heard:

That T[illegible] [illegible]

Opera Star in Title Role

By MOSES SMITH

A rousing old-fashioned performance of Verdi's "Aida," [illegible] and spectacular, as [illegible] advance notices said, was [illegible] by the Chicago Opera [illegible] night at the Boston Opera House.

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[illegible] formation [illegible] strength [illegible] the previous day was so [illegible] as to be almost in[illegible]. It was as if a company and a management that had [illegible] the discipline and care [illegible] for a full rounded performance had [illegible] to get [illegible] and had [illegible] [illegible] the drama for which Verdi wrote his magnificent music [illegible]

[illegible] were exceptions [illegible] Muzio in the title [illegible] sang [illegible] Here was [illegible] standing [illegible] Amonasro [illegible] and commanding [illegible]

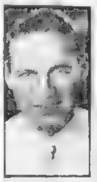
POPULAR STARS RETURN ON THE WEEK'S NEW SCREEN BILLS

[illegible] in "Murders in the Rue Morgue," opening at Keith's today.

Wallace Ford and Jean Harlow in a scene from "The Beast of the City," which had its first screenings at Loew's State today. It is a Cosmopolitan production.

Joan Blondell in "Union Depot," is the screen attraction on the new Met bill.

Heidt Arrives Tomorrow



Horace Heidt

Horace Heidt and his Californians, one of [illegible] best [illegible] [illegible]

Piano Recitalists in Program Feb. 24

Stell Anderson and Silvio Scionti, the two piano recitalists, will make their first Boston appearance in Jordan Hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 24. The program includes compositions by Chopin, Arensky, Infante, Castelnuovo-Tedesco.

Escudero Dances Again on March 5

Escudero, the Spaniard who has given America a new conception of the native dancing of his country, will give a second recital in Symphony Hall, with his ensemble, on Saturday evening, March 5.

Conchita Supervia in Recital Feb. 25

Conchita Supervia returns to Boston for a song recital in Symphony Hall, on Thursday evening, Feb. 25. Madame Supervia made her Boston debut in "Carmen" with the Chicago Opera Company.

London Singers

What is described in New York and elsewhere as a novel experience in the round of concerts is the singing of John Goss and the London Singers, who are to make their first Boston appearance at Symphony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 1.

Amusements

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Amusements

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MORE AMAZING THAN "FRANKENSTEIN" —WEIRDER THAN "DRACULA!"
MURDERS IN THE RUE MORGUE
The [illegible] of EDGAR ALLAN POE brought to the screen featuring
BELA LUGOSI ("Dracula" Himself)
as "Doctor Mirakle," the mad scientist whose strange passion filled the morgue—whose flaming eyes gleamed at the beautiful
SIDNEY FOX
she knew a horrible fate awaited her—yet she could not avoid him!
With Leon Waycoff, Bert Roach, Brandon Hurst
Universal Picture
LEO WEBER AT THE ORGAN
RKO KEITH'S

WAR DECLARED! Commanded TO KILL.. THOUSANDS Cheered—Because I Murdered a Man!
NOW HE'S DEAD! —and I'm alive and in his house—in love with the sweetheart of—
"THE MAN I KILLED" Or "Broken Lullaby"
ERNST LUBITSCH'S Paramount Production with LIONEL BARRYMORE NANCY CARROLL PHILLIPS HOLMES
—KAKI KITCHEN New York Sun
OLYMPIA AND UPTOWN WASH ST. HAN 5735 HUNT. AVE. KEN 3460

Amusements

TOMORROW Triumphant return to Boston of vaudeville's greatest sensation.
Horace Heidt AND HIS CALIFORNIANS Other Stars
On the screen Vice "Rubbed out" the Chief of Police—then came the great story—"THE FINAL EDITION" with MAE CLARKE PAT O'BRIEN Mary Doran
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"I WANT TO BE THRILLED" SHE CRIED!
Extra! LAUREL & HARDY Newest COMEDY "COME CLEAN"
Friday, Feb. 12—"THE GREEKS HAD A WORD FOR THEM"

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BEGINS TODAY
Doors Open at 8:45 A. M.
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer presents MARIE DRESSLER As EMMA
with JEAN HERSHOLT-RICHARD CROMWELL
Added Attraction—Charlie Chase Comedy "Nasty Marriage"
FRI., FEB. 12—ROBT. MONTGOMERY in "LOVERS COURAGEOUS" AND BIG STAGE SHOW
LOEW'S GREATER VAUDEVILLE
LOUIS BERKOFF'S "RUSSIAN REVELS"
ROSS & EDWARDS in "Wrong Again"
Maddox & Mack
FLEMAN, SHARKEY & LORRAINE FALLS, READING & BOYCE

PLYMOUTH—2nd SENSATIONAL WEEK
MATINEE TOMORROW at 2:30
"TRICK FOR TRICK" With James Rennie
Eves. at 8:30—[illegible] Seats at 50c

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE
CHICAGO CIVIC OPERA COMPANY
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Fox Company Buys Film Rights to Three Stage Hits by Noel Coward

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
Motion Picture Editor Universal Service, Inc.
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Los Angeles, Feb. 5—"Next year at this time," says Richard Rowland, "we will be willing to compare Fox pictures with any other productions on the market. We expect to make motion pictures as pictures, not as imitations of the stage."

Louella O. Parsons

This excellent idea hasn't kept the Fox company from buying expensive plays. After my conversation with Dick Rowland, it was brought to my attention that "Cavalcade," "Bitter Sweet" and "Easy Virtue," all successful Noel Coward plays, will be produced at Fox Hills this coming year.

Frank Borzage will direct "Cavalcade," a spectacle that is now doing a big business in London. First, Frank must finish "Young America" and "Gold Star Mothers."

"Young America" will introduce a new juvenile star, Tom Conlin, selected by Mr. Borzage for the lead. Doris Kenyon, who was a First National star when Mr. Rowland was chief there, will have the feminine lead, with Spencer Tracy in one of the important roles.

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Marie Rests Up

"Emma" and all those other successful Marie Dressler comedies take lots of hard work. Marie is taking a rest so that she will be able to do all the stunts required of her in "Prosperity," her next picture. When she finishes "Prosperity" there is Frances Marion's story, "Old Girl" waiting for her. So Marie is denying herself to callers for a few days and staying in bed so that she will be strong enough, by the time "Prosperity" starts, to give the fans all the slapstick comedy they so love.

Hollywood's Prettiest

At the Bernie Fineman tea on Sunday, someone looking in the direction of Fay Wray, who was there with her husband, John Monk Saunders, said: "That's the prettiest girl in Hollywood." I looked a second time. Miss Wray wore the green to which she is so partial, and she is, indeed, one of Hollywood's beauties. She is now in Universal City playing the lead in "Stowaway," by Norman Springer. Interesting that she started at Universal and was chosen while at that studio as a Wampus Baby Star. Leon Waycoff (new to me) plays the male lead; Montagu Love has a good part. Others in the cast are Roscoe Karns, Maurice Black, Lee Moran, Betty Francisco and James Gordon.

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Lloyd as Producer

Meet Harold Lloyd, producer. You say he has always produced his own pictures. True enough, but now he is branching out and starring Eddie Quillan in a series of three comedies a year. This is good news, not only for Harold and Eddie, but it means that the Lloyd producing staff that only [illegible] in his own [illegible] have steady jobs 12 months a year. Nothing definite on the distribution of the Quillan comedies, although Harold moves to the United Artists lot in two weeks to begin work on his own picture. He releases his own comedies through Paramount.

Harold Lloyd

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Hollywood Chatter

The comely widow of Richard Jones, director, has been seen places lately with Allan Tomblin, well known real estater. 'Tis rumored that Allan, for the first time, is seriously inclined towards Irene, who wears clothes about as well as anyone in Hollywood. Why shouldn't she when, under the name of "Irene," she designs garments for other well known Hollywood women. Bobby Arnst, vaudeville star, wife of the swimming champ and movie actor, Johnny Weismuller, may do a picture. She had a test made at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Warner Brothers are having troubles of their own trying to find another Boris Karloff. That's the type they want for "Dr. X," their first horror epic.

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"Promiscuous" for Joan

"Promiscuous," write that gay title down in your red book. You will hear it again. It's the name of Dora Macy's new novel and it is intended for Joan Crawford. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer bought it with the slim, grey-eyed Miss Crawford in mind. And the chances are it will do at the box office what "Night Nurse" also by Miss Macy, did in its [illegible] popularity. Miss Crawford w[illegible] it as soon as she finishes "Letty Lynton." What about "The [illegible] Haunted Woman"? I [illegible] showing [illegible]

Joan Crawford

Snapshots of Hollywood

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Feature photoplays in the picture theaters and their approximate starting times today are as follows.

Movie Clock

METROPOLITAN — "Union Depot", a. m., 11.40; p. m., 2.12, 4.34, 5.40, 8:02, 10:24.

GAYETY—"House Divided"; a. m., 9.40, p. m., 1:35, 5:30, 9.25.

EXETER—"Local Boy Makes Good"; p. m., 3.45, 6.40, 9.40.

RKO-KEITH — "Murders in the Rue Morgue", a. m., 9.25, 11.25; p. m., 1.32, 3:39, 5.39, 7:46, 9.53.

FINE ARTS—"La Douceur d'Aimer"; p. m., 1, 3.04, 5:08, 7.12, 9.16.

PARK—"Law of the Sea"; a. m., 10:43; p. m., 12:55, 3.07, 5.19, 7.31, 9.43.

WASHINGTON ST OLYMPIA "The Man I Killed"; a. m., 9.20, 11:24; p. m., 1.28, 3.32, 5:36, 7:40, 9:46.

SCOLLAY—"High Pressure"; a. m., 11:46; p. m., 2:31, 6:51, 9.56.

ORPHEUM—"Emma"; a. m., 9:15; p. m., 12:15, 3:30, 6:30, 9:45.

HOWARD—"Smart Money"; p. m., 12:48, 6.38.

FENWAY — "Manhattan Parade"; p. m., 2, 4:39, 7.18, 9.57.

RKO KEITH BOSTON—"The Menace"; a. m., 9:30; p. m., 12:41, 3:56, 7.11, 10:16.

MODERN — "Manhattan Parade", a. m., 9, 11.26; p. m., 2.01, 4:36, 7:11, 9:46.

UPTOWN — "The Man I Killed"; p. m., 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7.40, 9.50.

LOEW'S STATE—"Beast of the City"; p. m., 12.55, 3:05, 5:15, 7.25, 9.35.

BOWDOIN SQ.—"Maker of Men"; a. m., 9; p. m., 1:10, 5:25, 9:40.

Second Children's Concert on Feb. 20

Ernest Schelling will conduct his second Children's Concert of the season in Jordan Hall, Saturday morning, Feb. 20.

Children Laud Marionettes

[illegible] dance on their heels. There were lots of numbers presenting [illegible] of amusement and calculated [illegible] adventures of a [illegible] in a jungle where he met [illegible] and approbation. [illegible]

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7:40—"TOUCHDOWN"—Richard Arlen. George Bancroft in
8:40—"RICH MAN'S FOLLY"
9:50—"PARISIAN"—A. Menjou-Elissa Landi.

SOMERVILLE

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E. M. LOEW'S DAVIS SQ THEATRE — At 3.25—9.20 "STAR WITNESS" with Chic Sale-Walter Huston AT 2.20—8.05 "BIG GAMBLE" with Bill Boyd-James Gleason, Comedy "Vanishing Legion" No. 5

SOUTH BOSTON

STRAND AND BROADWAY — JACK HOLT "Maker of Men" Richard Barthelmess in "LAST FLIGHT" Local Talent Night

WATERTOWN

Loew's COOLIDGE Coolidge Sq. — Kay Francis in "GIRLS ABOUT TOWN" "ARE THESE OUR [illegible]" Special Cast

WINTER OLYMPIC GAMES FEATURE BROADCASTS

The Voice of Broadway

By Louis Sobol

From the Envelopes!

Referring to a paragraph in this column some weeks ago in which we explained that Gelston Hardy having inherited $10,000, had gone to Madeira to live because living was cheap there, only to find upon his arrival that so many other Americans had the same idea that prices had been jacked up to the American standard, Hardy writes in from Casa Blanca, Deva de Mallorca, Spain, a general refutation to this effect:

"Listen, Sobol. It's a fatal mistake to rely on that genial and lovable liar (name deleted) if you want accurate news in your column. At any rate Mrs. Hardy and I were the only Americans on the boat who got off at Madeira. The only other American I met in traveling all over the island from one end to the other was the American consul, Mr. H. Ibbotson, a nice chap who has lived out of the country so long he isn't aware there is a depression. The prices in Madeira are high, relatively not because of any Americans, but because the English started to come there in about 1820. And because the Portuguese government has recently soaked a frightful tariff on an smallest colony for no other cause than that the Portuguese Dictator at Lisbon needs money and the Madeirans seem willing to stand for it.

"You can, nevertheless, live much cheaper than in America. There's a depression in Madeira, too—especially among the hotel drivers. There's such an overproduction of those boys you can name your own price and ride all you're here, since all know that Pedro will take you if Castro will not. It gets monotonous, too, to be spoken to wherever you go as 'los Ingles' (English people) by crowds of small, dirty urchins and their parents, and you do not get mad the 400th time you have to explain, 'No, we do not want toba-(tea) for breakfast, because we are not English and we like your good Brazilian coffee—and could we please have some?' No we left Madeira and came here to Deva de Mallorca. We live in an eighteenth house in the middle of an olive orchard. The house has a tiled bathroom, two fireplaces and an immense porch on the third story looking across olive and almond trees to the open Mediterranean. It costs us $5—get that, five dollars—a month, furnished. We have a 24-year-old houseman who waits on all the meals, washes all the dishes, does our marketing in the village, fetches the mail, and, besides, an experienced sailor, a first-rate mechanic with a boat engine and a patient lover in Spanish. He gets us $3.43 a month. Firewood, which you need here in January, February and March, is scarce and costs 25 cents an armful, but to offset that you can have internal brat at these prices (a quart bottle)

Average local red wine . . . 6 cents
Excellent white table wine 24 cents
Amontillado sherry . . . . 71 cents
Spanish champagne . . . 76c to $1.30
Finest Spanish tequila . . . 9 cents
(It's the drink in a cafe, 24 cents)

"My . . . [illegible] . . . for Lent . . . [illegible] . . . are . . . [illegible] . . . to . . . [illegible] . . . food . . . [illegible] . . . three . . . [illegible] . . . 71 cents . . . [illegible] . . . theatre in Paris . . . [illegible] . . . are Range and York . . . [illegible] . . . Court of Kra . . . [illegible] . . . dene in Spain . . . [illegible] . . . per cent of the pessimistic . . . [illegible] . . . or wrist and the . . . [illegible] . . . of Peace Avenue . . . [illegible] . . . Long Beach.

Lew Leslieson offers a startling problem to rouse us from our habitual stupor: "Suppose," he writes, "two glasses stand on a table, one with wine, one with water—and each glass contains an equal volume. If you take a teaspoonful or one-tenth of the volume in the water glass and put it in the wine glass and mix and then take one teaspoonful or one-tenth of the volume in the wine glass and put it in the water glass, is there more wine in the water glass or more water in the wine glass? The answer is: There is more water in the wine glass' . . . Anything to excite me . . . 'Robert LeRoi Ripley' informs the Messrs. Simon & Schuster, with a double signature, "maharajah of incredibility, is leaving any minute for the South Seas. The object of his trip is to ransack a few more continents to verify a single fact' . . . 'Did you know,' writes B. A. S., "that Fred Astaire, just a fellow of the stage, has been made a member of the snooty Racquet and Tennis Club" . . . Noel Meadow postcards: "As one might might remark to another, 'Here's wishing you a short wife and a merry one.'"

From Walter W. Liggett: "Dear Sobol—My oft-announced book, 'The Rise of Herbert Hoover,' will make its belated appearance on Feb. 10th—under my own name. As you know, Albert and Charles Boni originally contracted to publish the book and I was paid in advance. Differences of opinion arose between us as to whether certain material should be included, and I took my manuscript elsewhere. I started the book in May, 1930, after collecting material for several years. Between December, 1930, and July, 1931, I traveled 20,000 miles in verifying my facts and digging up new data. The book was entirely completed on Sept. 7 1931, and would have been the first (debunking) biography of Hoover published had it not been for the delay caused by the change of publishers. While my book deals with Mr. Hoover without gloves, it is in no sense an attack upon him. I have tried to present a fair—though fearless—full length picture of the man from the day of his birth until he entered the White House."

Full Reports of Winter Sports

By N. F. T.

Announcers have taken mittens and earmuffs along for strenuous outdoor microphone duty this week at Lake Placid, N. Y. Those Olympic winter games now in full swing are being broadcast to all corners of the U. S.

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Both NBC and CBS arranged to transmit events of yesterday, today and tomorrow. Yesterday however there was just a brief resume of the doings. In fact no actual descriptions of competitions will be heard today, save then a general report of happenings and results.

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BUSY DAY TOMORROW

Tomorrow afternoon the well known sport voices of both nets will work get down to the exciting part of the week. "Thundering Ed [illegible] and Ben Grauer will [illegible] the bobsled race [illegible] Mount Marcy [illegible] Lake Placid [illegible] Then [illegible] Grauer [illegible] Ski Jump

Marry-Go-Round

MANY RISKS IN THE HUSBAND-MARKET

By HELEN ROWLAND

MARRIED MEN, like stocks, might be divided into three groups, preferred, common and wild. Those who were born for matrimony, those who have successfully achieved the married state and those who have had it thrust upon them by fate or a woman.

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The preferred risk is a "born" husband. From his cradle, he is marked for the altar—and he never escapes Karma.

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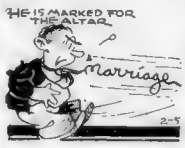

He gravitates toward matrimony as surely as the needle toward the magnet. He doesn't even put up a fight for his freedom. He doesn't have to be remodeled or become adjusted. He simply folds up like a jackknife, into the domestic groove—and "stays PUT."

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But the wild husband is the one who gets the most free publicity and gives the whole species a bad name.

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He was never intended for marriage, and he is as much out of place in the role as a polar bear in a palm-garden or a butterfly in a goldfish bowl. No matter how often he goes to the altar (and, somehow, this kind of man usually goes again and again) his marriage never "takes."

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He is always and to the end, just a married-bachelor, with the carefree, irresponsible spirit of Pan, which can never be tamed by any woman! Marriage rolls right off him like water off a slicker.

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Why he ever married, nobody knows—least of all himself. But, somehow, the most brilliant and astute women are always ready and willing to take over the task of domesticating him, when they might go in for a nice, safe spart, like lion-taming or raising wildcats.

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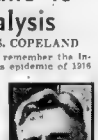
Adults Are Not Immune to Paralysis

By DR. R. S. COPELAND

THOSE who remember the Infantile paralysis epidemic of 1916 are naturally alarmed when they hear rumors of this dread disease. Every year in June or July cases of this disease become numerous, continuing to increase in frequency until the latter part of September or early October. From that time on, it subsides rapidly and remains at a low level until the next Summer.



Dr. Copeland

When it makes this disease especially feared by the parents of young children, is the fact that it is so often followed by deformity. There is comfort in knowing that the actual number of cases in proportion to the population is small.

Infantile paralysis does not attack children only. The name would suggest this. It is more common among children, and more fatal among the younger children, but it attacks adults too.

To restore crippled limbs and usefulness and prevent permanent deformity after an attack of this disease, a careful system of exercising must be pursued.

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By MARIAN MARTIN

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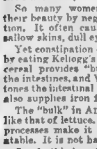

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The Beauty Box

A COMMON HABIT is that of standing with the body weight on one foot. Very bad. It weakens the ankles, throws the spinal column out of alignment, weakens the abdominal muscles.

Maude's day.

THE BEAST OF THE CITY

By Jack Lait

Daisy Brings Ed to His Senses

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other criminal," Jim repeated tersely.

"But Jim, he's your brother. He's the only one of your own flesh and blood left on this earth. You have done your duty as chief of police and the jury has said he wasn't guilty. You must forgive him, Jim. 'Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive them'—give him just one chance. Maybe you're wrong. How do you know you're right?" Mary pleaded with tears in her eyes.

Jim was silent. He slapped his right hand up and down on the arm of the morris chair, his chin deep on his chest.

"Jim." Mary knelt by his chair lifted his face with her hand. "You know I'm right, Jim. I won't say anything more—you think it over and tomorrow morning have Ed here—that'll be my answer. You couldn't let him drift, let him get caught by that horrible gang, any more than you would Mickey. Ed is your little boy just like Mickey is. He needs your help as much and maybe more."

Mary rose, confident that her pleas had touched Jim. She wiped away the tears in the back of her hand. "Come on, now, Jim, supper'll be ready in just about two minutes. Here's your new corporal in off his beat and he's ready." She turned away to the kitchen.

"Chief, sir," came a breathless voice from the hallway. "I've just stopped a murder, a brutal, bloody murder, down on the corner of Fifth and Magnolia, Mr. Tom Cat was trying to strangle Miss Blondie Canary. She wouldn't pay any attention to him, you know. However, I stopped it, sir, and everything is peaceful now."

"Great work, Mickey boy. You'll make your old Dad proud of you one of these days—when you grow up to be a big cop—per—" and Mickey's proud grin faded as he noticed that his father was crying as he gathered him up into his arms in bear-embrace.

Ed Fitzpatrick came to consciousness with that slow, muddled functioning of the brain that something was wrong. Sharp words aimed in fierce and quick blows fell on his cheeks. He began to thresh his arms and kick his legs. Then he sank back with a groan.

"Her," he exclaimed before he opened his eyes. "What happened?"

"Plenty happened—get up, Ed! Get up quickly!" Daisy's voice had reached a crescendo of intense excitement. Ed began to co-ordinate his mind and muscles. He opened his eyes and arose to a half-sitting position. He was lying on the couch, fully clothed except for his coat, and his mouth was parched and dry.

"I musta been plenty drunk," he murmured, rubbing his swollen head.

"Get yourself together, Ed!" cried Daisy. "Look at this—Chole's been shot out."

Ed's eyes snapped wide open, the fog flew from his brain, his anesthized muscles jerked into action. He sat erect.

"What's that? Chole croaked?" he asked in a bewildered way.

"Yes—sure," continued Daisy. "I went out to get some eggs for breakfast—got a morning newspaper, and pipe this . . . Found in the alley back of Colli's . . . A chive through his heart . . . Oh, Ed, you're in awful . . . why did you do it? Why did you do it?"

"Me?" muttered Ed, still in a daze. "Me? I never killed him—I wish I had have—he had it comin' here, lemme see that paper."

He grabbed the newspaper out of Daisy's hands and scanned the headlines. Then he held the paper closer to his bloodshot, throbbing eyes, and read

"So they got him, eh?" he said at last. "Well, he had it comin'. I'm damned glad they got him and I'm damned sorry it wasn't me—well, maybe I ain't."

"Ed," said Daisy tenderly, placing her arm around his neck. "Don't lie to little Daisy. I'm sure you'll get you out o' this—tell me the truth—"

"I—I—I didn't kill that skunk."

"Don't you remember the argument you had with him?" asked Daisy. "He kept lookin' at me and you called him on it—do you remember that?"

"No—no—I don't remember that—I was a little spiffed—I don't remember arguin' with him—but I remember how he looked at you—and I was sore—"

"Oh, Ed, then you did do it. You were gone for a time. Chole disappeared. I found you in the kitchen, lyin' out the count—come on—don't you remember?"

Ed rubbed his troubled, befuddled head. He shook it slowly.

"No—I don't remember what happened toward the last—but you know that if I had killed him I would have remembered it—it would have powered me—anyway, where would I get a knife?"

"Well, we've got to do somethin' quick. They found his body at 3 o'clock. It's now 5. We've got to do somethin' and do it on the lam. You get out of here and go over to Mamie Mistelet's—never for the two of us—I'll be over later—I know that Belmonte mob—"

"Wait a minute—wait a minute," insisted Ed, but she had already jerked him to his feet and was undressing his dress suit vest and shirt. He staggered to his feet a minute and then the seriousness of it came to him.

"All right, Daisy, you win—but gimme a drink—I'm a little shaky," he pleaded. Daisy poured a half tumbler full of rye and handed it to him.

Continued Tomorrow

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MAINBOCHER ENSEMBLE

Marked by Mathematical Cut

SKETCHED IN PARIS

Shown today is a sketch of an ensemble that illustrates perfectly the mathematical cut that marks many frocks just now. It is by Mainbocher, who has made it of purry-colored crepe morocain, a smart color and fabric for spring resistant wear. You will notice that the coat is formed entirely of diagonal piecings fitted toward the lower part, this cut lending a slight ripple to the edge. The frock has a simple surplice bodice with a moderate decollette front and back.

All Your Life You Wanted to Be Free—Why Not?

By ELSIE ROBINSON

ALL YOUR life you wanted to be free.

All your life you have been feeling that People and Circumstances were keeping you bound.

First, your mother, holding you firmly on her lap, when you wanted to wiggle down to the floor. How you squalled! Even then your baby mind was certain that life was incomplete. If only you could get out of that confining lap—if only you could crawl at liberty on that large, inviting floor, you would be content. So you squalled and kicked and, in time, you did get out of your mother's lap and achieve that floor.

But still you weren't content. One floor wasn't enough. If only you could get into the next room—

So your search for freedom started and so it has gone on. Out of baby days into school days—out of dreaming, playing, childhood years into working, loving, fighting, married years . . . Always looking for a better chance. Searching for some new arrangement in life that would free you from that curious, secret sense of bondage.

But you have never found it, have you? You have found better jobs Fallen in love and married. Moved into a new house—a new town. Bought a nicer car. Made a nice little record for yourself in local politics or society. But—you haven't found freedom yet, have you?

For of course it isn't your fault—you're sure of that. If you could run things your own way, everything would be jake. But you've never had a chance. Not a real chance. Someone or something has always stood in your way. Your family. Your debts. Your boss. Your lack of education or pull. Perhaps Society at large. Always something or somebody has cramped your style. But you still have hopes. You're still searching. Perhaps some day you'll stumble on the perfect combination which will remove all these handicaps and set you free.

DON'T FOOL YOURSELF! YOU NEVER WILL. FREEDOM DOES NOT COME THAT WAY.

Freedom does not lie outside you—it lies within you. You are bound neither by the people around you, nor by the outer circumstances of your life. You are bound by your own nature . . . by the weakness and the violence of your own nature.

You don't believe it? Sit down and do ten minutes of honest self-analysis. Stop making alibis. Stop blaming others. Cut out the self-pity—for just ten minutes. Trace each mishap in your life to its ultimate source. Who was responsible? YOU—YOURSELF! You—your-

self—have been your stumbling-

ness, vanity, stupidity, bossness, carelessness, cowardice, malice, selfishness, silliness, brought that evil on yourself. Other people became involved. Other people interfered and hurt. But, at the bottom of it all, lay your own cussedness.

AND ONLY BY FIGHTING THAT CUSSEDNESS, WILL YOU EVER ATTAIN FREEDOM.

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Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST
Baked Apples
Creamed Codfish on Toast
Corn Muffins
Coffee

LUNCH
Cold Meat
Fried Potatoes
Scalloped Corn
Chocolate Pudding
Coffee

DINNER
Stuffed Lamb Chops
Creamed Potatoes
Scalloped Corn
Chocolate Pudding
Coffee

Mid-Winter Favorite Recipes

By MARTHA LEE.

From Martha Lee's Friday Morning Broadcast Over Station WAAB.

EVERY MAIL brings requests to "be placed on your mailing list for your cooking school lesson sheets. We don't have a mailing list, but we do try to make room for at least a few of the recipes in our columns each week, and are always glad to send copies of the lessons to those sending a loose 2c stamp for return postage.

"Marcia Ice Box Cookies" came from one of these requests, and nutty—were fa- cookies on this week's lesson entitled 'Mid Winter Favorites." A three-layer cake with mocha frosting was another favorite—and scalloped potatoes. Here they are for a starter—and to- morrow look for our latest lemon meringue pie. Sunday supper special and macaroni with stuffed peppers

MARIE'S ICE BOX COOKIES

1 cup butter
2 cups brown sugar
1 tsp. baking soda
3½ cups cake flour
½ tsp. salt
1 cup thin sliced nuts
2 eggs
Vanilla

Cream butter and add sugar stirring well. Add the beaten eggs Add nuts chopped rather coarsely and vanilla, then sifted dry ingredients. This makes a very stiff mixture. Pack into a square or oblong pan and put in ice box over night. When ready to bake slice paper thin and cook quickly in a 400 deg oven to brown and crisp. Watch carefully, as they burn in a few minutes.

THREE-LAYER CAKE WITH MOCHA FROSTING

½ cup vegetable shortening
1½ cups sugar
4 eggs
2 cups flour
3 tsps. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
½ cup milk
2 tsps. vanilla

Cream vegetable shortening and sugar together. Add beaten eggs a little at a time, and mix well Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt and add alternately with the milk to the first mixture Add vanilla and beat thoroughly. Bake in greased cupcake pans in a quick over (425 deg F.), 20 minutes, or in three layer cake pans in a hot oven (400 deg. F.) 25 minutes. Spread layers and top of cake with mocha frosting

Daily True Story

'Twixt Life and Death

WILLIAM BLAKEWELL suddenly protested himself upright in his chair and began to sort the papers on his desk with nervous, almost desperate haste.

He was glad for the first time in how many years he was not sure, but it seemed a year at least—that he was busy, and none to know exactly what he was going to do. He simply MUST NOT think. He had resolved a dozen times—and failed each time. All he wanted now was to get the thing over with as quickly as possible.

He examined a document after document hastily, scanning each one for its importance, and then wastebasketed it in pieces. A few of the papers he replaced in the desk. A slightly haggard expression about the mouth and a nervous trembling of his hands betrayed a strain under which he labored.

UNUSUAL ATTITUDE

While he was thus engaged a young woman came into the room with a sheaf of papers in her hand. She stated a couple of points, and more, over the desk. If she sensed anything unusual in the attitude of her employer she was not aware of it in her impersonal voice when she spoke.

"These letters are ready for you to sign, Mr. Blakewell."

"Letters? Oh yes. You need not call for them this evening, Miss Clarke." Absent-mindedly Blakewell took the letters and laid them on the table.

Thank you, Mr. Blakewell," she answered then "Goodnight" as she left the room. But he was once more absorbed in his task and make no reply.

It was about a minute when Blakewell finally pushed back his chair and stood up. Well, he was finished. There was nothing more to be done here. The letters which Miss Clarke had brought to him were all lying on the table. He took them in person without even a glance at their contents.

He had almost forgotten about Miss Clarke. He was glad the letters reminded him. A letter of recommendation was the least he could do to show his appreciation for her faithful and efficient services. He hastily wrote the letter and was about to seal it when an idea occurred to him. He took from his wallet all of the currency it contained and enclosed it in the envelope with the recommendation. After a last glance around the room he went out closing the door softly behind him.

PAUSED A MOMENT

When Blakewell reached the street he paused a moment in indecision staring vaguely at the traffic policeman directly opposite. A sight so unpretentious that ordinarily it would have escaped his notice now held the attention of the passerby in an absorbing, jostling reach other unnoticed unheeded. The strangeness of the scene added to his sense of detachment from it and intensified the mood of depression and desolation.

Thrusting his hands deep into the pockets of his coat, he began to walk rapidly toward his destination. His way brought him to a strange and ill-lighted neighborhood, where his footsteps seemed to be the only sounds to break the quiet of the deserted street. Blakewell walked with his head bent oblivious to his surroundings.

A voice high-pitched with nervousness spoke suddenly out of the darkness.

"Put 'em up, mister, high!"

And Blakewell felt something

pressed against his back. He stopped and started a man stumbled, stayer completing the interrupted sentence. The man whose voice had uttered the words was pacing nervously up and down in front of the company. Presently he saw his hands from his pockets. As he did so he caught sight of something else in the man's hand—a revolver. He remembered a recent school in the city street and a bullet hole in the newspaper. Blakewell's head fell and he men stood pale for with astonishment and fear. Then he realized that confronted by another man, he was the victim of a hold-up.

IMPULSE OF TERROR

The sudden impulse of terror that had seized Blakewell to run from the spot passed, and with it the primal preservation that had driven him to this all the long after noon. Everything else was forgotten in a sort of fierce exultation of the physical combat for the protection of his person and property.

The fight was in reality over. The man broke away from the scene and the wrath of his intended victim. After only a couple of minutes of the scuffle, which to Blakewell seemed to be a long, long hour, the man- with a quick, fierce wrench- away from Blakewell and half- running, half-limping, disappeared in the near corner.

Blakewell, left to his feet, dusted himself and recovered his hat which had flown off and received attention in his head.

He was breathing heavily then his excitement left the rest of him was calm. He stood in the street going over the events in his mind. For a moment he could hardly recollect how he came to be in his present surroundings. Then memory came back with a dizzying rush—memory and a horror of the thing he had been about to do. He tried to recapture the mood of the time, but it was impossible.

FIGHTING FOR WHAT?

Why had he struggled with the holdup? What had he been fighting for, anyway? His life? He had been about to throw that away. His property? He had none left. Nothing except what was in his pockets. He brought out these contents in the palm of his hand.

Running footstep sounded, but Blakewell did not move. A policeman appeared at his side.

"What's goin' on here? Didn't I hear a shot a little bit ago?"

"I am probably did, officer," Blakewell answered. "A holdup man tried to take my money. I accidentally struck his gun, and it discharged. I guess it frightened him and he ran off."

The officer looked at him suspiciously.

"Say, officer, he wouldn't have gotten much. Risked a holdup to get my monthy, and that was all I had." He showed the policeman the few coins in his hand. "You wouldn't think, would you, that a handful of small change like that would mean the difference between life and death? Just some small change."

And again the officer stared after him as Blakewell walked away with long gaps for the first time in months.

(A number of characters in the story

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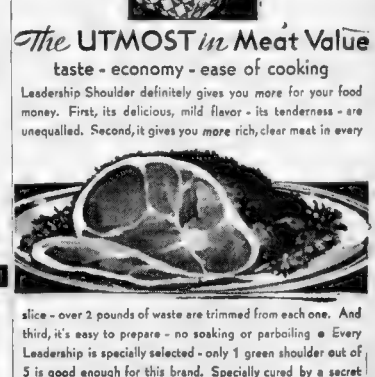

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BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS

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With GEORGE UNDERWOOD

Neighborhood Rows, "Beaning" of Kloby, Big Millrose Meet.

Venzke's Trainer. A Roosevelt Yarn. Boxing Brevities.

"Family Brawls" That Thrilled Bostonians

When Big Boy Rawson of Dorchester and Jack McCarthy of Roxbury start unloading man-sized punches on each other in the Boston Garden tonight, someone is likely to get hurt. But it will not be the customers. How the ring affairs do love these neighborhood rows and family brawls! Back in the days before Jack Sharkey was a Chestnut Hill millionaire and was plain Ensign Seaman Sharkey of Roxbury and before Jim Maloney spent his winters on the Miami Gold Coast and was just Mike Maloney's boy Shamus of South Boston, we ring fans would hoof seven miles just to see the pair of 'em hook up. And we just remember Dave Drexler and Kid Goodman, Honey Mellody and Jigg Stone, Rosie O'Brien and Matty Baldwin, Mike Twin Sullivan and Jimmy Gardner, Jack Twin Sullivan and Charlie O'Rourke, Young Donahue and Chester Goodwin, Al Delmont and Jimmy Walsh." Will you ever forget the night Eddie Prendergast of Roxbury, alias Elmer Snellen, and Tommy Corcoran of Lawrence, alias Young Kloby, hooked up in Lawrence? That was the night when, just as Kloby knocked Shevlin as cold as a landlady's heart, Eddie's brother tossed a bottle. His aim was as good it hit Kloby on the conk and knocked the fighting son of the Corcorans on the canvas too. Those were the days with the bark on. Maybe Big Boy and Jack will bring them back tonight. On with the Civil War! Let joy be unrefined!

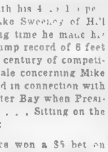
If McCarthy and Rawson don't look out that nothing Dutch man from Over the Rhine Ad[illegible] Heuser and the Pummeling Portuguee, Al Rodriguez may steal the show. We saw Heuser in a couple of gymnasium brawls and if his half an good in actual ring combat as he is at the gym you will see a marvel of the [illegible] Harry Greb and Stanley Ketchel. In the gym Heuser is a blizzard on wheels. Rodriguez better reef all sail and prepare for a hurricane.

LEO LEMOND

Leo Lemond, Jack Collier, Monte Wells, Don Fleet, George Bullwinkle, Russell Chapman and a whole flock of our Down East athletes will be seen in tomorrow night's big Millrose meet in New York. Lemond will answer the call to post against Gene Venzke, Orval Martin, Ray Conger, Frank Crowley and other great middle-distancers in the Wanamaker Mile. Chapman and Bullwinkle are slated to face Alex Wilson, the Canadian, who ran for Notre Dame; Barsi, the Hungarian; Dale Letts, Eddie Bell, Fred Tuttle, Tommy Kerr, and possibly Bernie McCafferty, in the Millrose 600 . . . Barsi is a great middle-distancer, but the Hungarian never has competed on the boards and hasn't had time to get acclimated or get his land legs . . . Only heard four practice he had was in a little 5-lap Belgian Relay . . . He has a 440-meter in 48 2-5 and 880 meters in 1 52 2-5 . . . He will take a lot of licking later on, but scarcely can be expected to show at his best tomorrow night.

Gene Venzke, who thrilled Boston fans with his 4.1 performance in the Caser Mile as trained by Mike Sweeney of H.T. School . . . Remember Mike . . . long time he made his home in Worcester . . . Mike's world's high jump record of 6 feet 5¾ inches stood the assaults of a quarter of a century of competition . . . President Roosevelt once told us a tale concerning Mike Sweeney and how his name first was mentioned in connection with the presidency" . . . We made the trip to Oyster Bay when President Roosevelt entertained the 1908 Olympians . . . Sitting on the porch at Sagamore Hill, the President told us:

"I always admired Mike Sweeney. I once won a $5 bet on him with Richard Harding Davis the author and war correspondent. Dick had just returned from abroad and favored the British jumper, who was competing against Mike in the big international meet between the London A. C. and the New York A. C. in 1895. I was Police Commissioner of New York at the time. When Mike beat the Englishman and won my bet I was so elated I left the grandstand and attempted to cross the track to congratulate him. My way was barred by the marshal, at Mr. Gus Sacks.



THEODORE ROOSEVELT

"But I am Mr. Roosevelt, the Police Commissioner,' I attempted to explain.

"'I wouldn't care if you were Mister Roosevelt, President of the United States,' snapped Sacks. 'You can't cross this track.'

"As far as I know," concluded President Roosevelt with a chuckle and a flash of teeth "that was the first time my name ever was mentioned in connection with the Presidency."

Cherokee Tom Jones, who managed three world's champions, Ad Wolgast, Billy Papke and Jess Willard, has been granted a referee's license in California . . . The Native Sons also have reinstated Primo Carnera . . . Primo is coming back here late this month . . . Three brand-new boxing bills have been introduced in the Virginia Legislature . . . Almost as many as the racing bills in the Bay State . . . Illinois House and Senate passed the 15-round bill . . . Now up to the Governor. They think crap shooting originated in Mesopotamia as far back as 2500 B. C. . . . In a bone-rolling contest we'd match any Alabama brunette with the King of Mesopotamia . . . Before the Alabama coloratura got through the king wouldn't even have his pants . . . Victor Aloysius Meyers, who as a joke offered himself as a candidate for mayor of Seattle and rolled up such a big following it has become serious, among other things says that if elected mayor he "will equip all cops in hula-hula skirts and hire heavyweight wrestlers to open car doors."

Waltham Nine Opens at Middlesex

[illegible] Waltham baseball team will open its season [illegible] Middlesex School nine on the latter's diamond [illegible] Coach Bert Mahoney has named the first full time physical director at the Hyde Park branch of the Y M C A.

May—Wed., 11, Belmont at Waltham; 13, Keene at Waltham; Wed., 18, Belmont at Waltham; Sat., 21, Brighton at Waltham; Wed., 25, open; Fri., 27, Newton at Norton.

June—Wed., 1, open; Wed., 8, Natick at Natick.

John Malcolm "Y" Head at Hyde Park

[illegible] Malcolm, former director at the Buffalo, N. Y., Y. M. C. A. He is a graduate of the Y. M. C. A. College in Chicago and was a football and basketball star at Dorchester, English and Mechanic Arts.

CUP TRUSTEE UNAWARE OF ICE BAN

By BILL GRIMES

From Ottawa comes the announcement of William Foran, [illegible] that he will not [illegible] Amateur Hockey Association of Canada [illegible] National Hockey League [illegible] spring.

But for the fact that William Foran has been actively connected with the National Hockey League for many years, his confession might have been accepted [illegible]

League Did Not Know of "Outlaw's" Standing

"When the challenge was accepted by the trustees," said Foran, "we had no information that the American League was not in good standing. Until we have information to that effect or some notification from the National Hockey League, there is nothing we can do."

[illegible] Foran [illegible] American League [illegible] Cup [illegible] Foran [illegible] Cup [illegible] Foran [illegible] Cup [illegible] Foran

SHEA WINNER IN 1500-METER OLYMPIC RACE

SECOND TITLE FOR U.S. STAR

Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 5 (AP)—Jack Shea, Dartmouth sophomore ace of the American speed skaters, scored his second Olympic contest today by winning the 1500 meters race.

Jean Reiss of Switzerland, 1928 5000 meters champion yesterday broke Irving Jaffee of New York, Boris Evensen, another Norwegian who lost his 500 meters title to Shea, Hans Engnestangen of Norway and Oscar Mathisen of Norway, champion and Carl Lindberg, Swedish flier, all lost out in the parade of the Americans through the three preliminary heats.

Herb Taylor of New York and Frank Stack of Canada took the first two qualifying places in the opening heat, and after the second dash was called off one because of the loafing of the contestants they came back with Shea winning the heat and Bill Logan of Canada second.

Then to complete the picture Ray Murray, another New Yorker, pushed Shea out in the third and final heat in the fastest time so far, 2 minutes 29 1/10 seconds, fairly close to Chaix-a-Mah-pa's world mark of 2:17 4/10 set in Oslo, Norway, in 1911. Again a Canadian in the time Alec Hind took second place in a driving finish.

1500 Meters—Three heats, first two qualify for finals; first heat won by Herb Taylor United States; second Frank Stack Canada; third Reed Evenson Norway; fourth Hans Engenstangen, Norway. Second heat won by Ernest Allen, United States; second Bill Logan Canada; third Ossian Ronningstad Norway; fourth, Herbert Black Canada. Third heat won by Jack Shea, United States; second Irving Jaffee, United States; third Ray Murray, United States; fourth Tauno Kanamaru Japan. Fifth Tauno Kanamaru Japan; sixth Carl Lindberg Sweden. Time—2:29.8.

Non-League Church Fives May Battle

Any non-league church basketball team which desires to compete for the championship of the Boston Protestant churches must enter the non-league tournament to be held at the Boston Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday, February 10, and Saturday, February 13. Entries for the tournament must reach Robert F. Lavezzo, Y. M. C. A. 316 Huntington ave., Boston by Monday, February 8.

There are two divisions, one for the seniors comprised of men over 18 years of age, and the junior division for those under 18.

Wesley Methodist, Park Methodist, Epworth Methodist, Central Church of West Roxbury, was the first team to send in an entry for the non-league tournament.

Today's Selections and Scratches

HIALEAH PARK CONSENSUS

First race—Love Offering, Sun Teatime, Mae Sweep.

Second race—Laval, Vennie H., White Thorn.

Third race—Knowlton, The Heather, Clean Play.

Fourth race—Prince Toy, Valour II, Chicago Girl.

Fifth race—Evening, Sun Memory, Calf Roper.

Sixth race—Barcicoco, Tomberean, Jas Ag.

Seventh race—Putter, Sun Presto, Mike Carey.

FAIR GROUNDS CONSENSUS

First race—Capt. Jerry, Steel, Harold Jr.

Second race—Strongheart, Seth's Point, Blue & Wee.

Third race—Durva, Reverberate, Miss N. Conlan.

Fourth race—Colonial Belle, Donna Chi Chu.

Fifth race—Stimulator, Sandwrack, Habanero.

Sixth race—Master Ogden, Sun Print, Delmonico.

Seventh race—Klingstone, Vanquish, Make Believe.

NEW ORLEANS SCRATCHES

1—Anira Gay, Sammy Tuck, Fair Image, Petaluma, Land Girl, Miss Delight, Steel, Sunnyside Up.

2—Sofia Ballet, Hula Lute, Super Toy, Aviator, Miss Law, Jean Desirable, Strongheart, Old Sol.

3—Sol Salem, Idol, Columbia, Mal San, Primeval, Monde, Sidia, Pangola, Durva.

4—Purcell.

5—Chicon, Stimulator, Imelda.

6—Respond.

7—Lafferia, Vole, Well Behaved. Weather clear; track fast.

MIAMI SCRATCHES

1—Jessie Coppage, Foreign Play, Mittens, Aileen.

2—My Counselor, H. A. Bentham, Ipral, Rome Vennis.

3—Hisover, Pleasa, Borealis, Kerry Green, Black Dove.

5—Sun Memory.

6—Hamilton, Jas Ag.

7—Play Ball.

Weather cloudy; track fast.

HAVANA SCRATCHES

1—Mexican D., Andreatta, Thunder Nymph, F. F., Compton, J. J. Bambrick, Clearance.

2—Pernod, Curt, Chilly Gal.

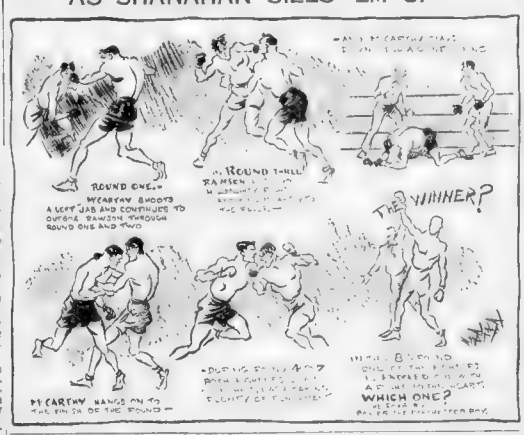
3—Miss Mary Lou.

4—Thistle Pattie, Sam Slick.

5—Dr. Bidencope, Billycoo, Tapanaugh, Uncle Sam.

6—Monbee, Clear Cloud, Red.

AS SHANAHAN SIZES 'EM UP



GERMAN STARS IN BAD WAY

Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 5 (AP)—X-ray pictures revealed today that Fritz Grau, German bob sled captain suffered a fracture of the fifth vertebrae in his spine when his sled crashed on the Olympic run Tuesday.

As soon as he can be moved he will be put in a plaster cast, physicians declare, and kept there for seven months. Grau also suffered a fractured shoulder and other injuries.

A bent Pitcher blade on his sled passed a restless night and today was in great pain. His injuries are so severe, that complete diagnosis still has not been made. The name remain on the hospital danger list with a known fracture of the skull, possible spine fracture and other severe hurts.

Melrose Y Fives in Hyde Park Play

Two basketball teams from the Melrose Y. M. C. A. will be seen on the floor of the Hyde Park branch of the Boston Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening.

The second girls' basketball team of the Hyde Park Y. coached by Ruth Lewis will play the Melrose Y. M. C. A. girls' team. Doris Reed will officiate. The Hyde Park girls' team is: Virginia Baldaro, captain, Mildred Westhaver, Stella Stateks, Alice Haden, Dorothy Barcsley, Elsie Sherber, Betty Iron, Claire Greene, Jean Baxter, Marion Wilson and Erskine Marzano.

The Hyde Park Y men's team will play the Melrose Y team in a Suburban Y League game at 8:30.

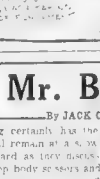
Bob Trapp to Play With Blackhawks

St. Louis, Feb. 4 (AP)—Bob Trapp, veteran defense man of the Tulsa Oilers in the American Hockey League, confirmed reports today that he has signed to play with the Chicago Blackhawks, but Russ Williams the St. Louis Flyers star defense man, for get apparently had not decided whether he also would join the Blackhawks.

Mr. Boston

By JACK CONWAY

Wrestling certainly has the old town by the throat as well 7000 fans will remain at it as long as 12 30 and then forget a about a blizzard as they gaped the respective merits of Jim Browning a leg body scissors and Nick Lutze a reverse half Nelson.



Mr. Boston

Paul Bowser, who, I believe ... Ralph Dixon a pair of ... Art and Ben Wineberg ... the noble grapevine ... in the parlance ... [illegible] took on a ... corners inside ... the ring. [illegible] ropes. He took ... push him on ... jaw and ... in the ribs. ... don't know ... what he refers ... in the way of ... dough for ... rassling. But to ... take as much ... punishment as ... did I would ... insist on a ... grand gawan ...

A battling gob, by the by, that Nick Lutze is over 50 years notes ... a day from dawn who would ... [illegible] to have him take turns for a ... At M. Lutze was charming ... Nicks secretary, two years of the ... [illegible] are going to first base ...

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FINANCE HAILS "THREE MONEYTEERS"

By B. C. FORBES

The financial world has known for some time that President Hoover desired to have the ultra energetic Under-Secretary Mills in his cabinet. But nothing displeasing to the veteran, faithful, highly-regarded Secretary Mellon must be thought of.

Two birds have now been killed by one stone: Secretary Mellon receives the coveted ambassadorship to England, the way is opened for making Mills Secretary of the Treasury.

And, happily, each is fitted for his task.

Go-Getters at the Helm

Three men, all go-getters, [illegible] take the administration financial helm: Eugene Meyer, governor of the Federal Reserve Board and chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation; Charles G. Dawes, president of the Reconstruction Corporation; Ogden L. Mills, Treasury Department.

Expect action. President Hoover's exhortation and warning to hoarders doubtless was inspired. It should be heeded. Hoarding hurts all, including the hoarders. Probably it is almost over. Fear is slowly subsiding. In [illegible] circles sentiment has distinctly improved.

Washington's three moneyteers, Meyer, Dawes, Mills, will not hesitate to do the [illegible]. They are [illegible] courageous." The magnitude of [illegible] will not faint them. Precedent will not hobble them. [illegible] most of the leaders they won't shrink from shouldering responsibility. They aren't buck passers.

The prospect of prying [illegible] has indeed brightened.

Congress Sets the Pace

Congress has exhibited more cooperation than finance exhibited when panic befell. Wall Street floundered without effective leadership. Gigantic corporations directed by our most powerful financiers hastily withdrew the extensive loans they had made in Wall Street. No J. P. Morgan stepped forward to command. Chaos reigned.

Congress, on the other hand, promptly addressed itself in business-like fashion to its tasks, acted with cohesion, refrained from interminable wrangling, sanctioned constructive legislation, won approval.

Of course beatific unity cannot be expected to last. But our lawmakers have already made a more favorable showing than did our moneymakers. Which means that Washington has gained a more strategic position than Wall Street.

Humanizing Sales Forces

Merchants from all parts of the country are attending the National Retail Dry Goods Association Convention in New York. One speaker urged that sales persons be more personal and more informal.

This incident, which came directly to my notice, may contain a suggestion: A young Southern woman of good family came to New York to improve her musical talent and took a job in a better-class department store. When a customer appeared she would shake hands, ask about the health of the prospect's folks, fetch a chair, and otherwise act as she had been accustomed to acting in her own home.

Coworkers laughed at her—and warned her. But she just couldn't be other than natural.

One day the general manager approached. Not knowing who he was, she greeted him with her usual affability, while the others nudged and tittered. Presently he reveald his identity, explained that the store had received more nice letters about her than about any other employe, and he had dropped around to note her methods.

After all, don't human beings like people who are human? Only snobs do not—and, thank God, there are more real folks than snobs.

INSURANCE

Guaranteed Life Income Contract
Big Demand Noticed Among Women
Participates in Dividend Earnings
Loan Value Is Great Asset

By Frank F. Loomis

The Guaranteed Life Income contract being issued now by many of the old line [illegible] life insurance companies has become very popular. A large demand for such a contract has been particularly noticeable among women who are earning salaries.

A short time ago a woman wrote to this office stating that she was 40 years old, unmarried, had a good position and could save $100 a month out of her earnings. She wanted to purchase a life income policy to start at age 60, so that an income could be arranged for on the following basis:

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The woman deposits $1200 a year. When she reaches the age of 60 she will have paid to the insurance company $24,000. She will then receive a guaranteed monthly income for life of about $187.

This contract participates in the annual dividend earnings of the company paid in cash each year, which judging from past experience of the companies would amount to about as follows:

End of 1st year, $13.66; end of 2nd year, $27.72; end of 3rd year, $42 [illegible]; end of 4th year, $57.[illegible]; end of 5th year, $73.20; end of 6th year, $[illegible]; end of 7th year, $106.20; end of 8th year, $123.60; end of 9th year, [illegible]; $141.48; end of 10th year, [illegible]; end of 11th year, $17[illegible]; end of 12th year, $198.32; end of 13th year, $219.96; end of 14th year, $241.32; end of 15th year, $263.40; end of 16th year, $286.20; end of [illegible] year, $309.96; end of 18th year, [illegible]; end of 19th year, $3[illegible]; end of 20th year, $[illegible].

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During the time the purchaser is making these yearly deposits to the company there is a guaranteed cash or loan value which she can take advantage of as follows:

End of 2nd year about $1698.00; end of 3rd year about 3012.00; end of 4th year about $4452.00; end of 5th year about $6000.00; end of 6th year about $7296.00; end of 7th year about $8568.00; end of 8th year about $9888.00; end of 9th year about $11,268.00; end of 10th year about $12,744.00; end of 11th year about $14,280.00; end of 12th year about $15,864.00; end of 13th year about $17,508.00; end of 14th year about $19,200.00; end of 15th year about $20,961.00; end of 16th year about $22,788.00; end of 17th year about $24,672.00; end of 18th year about $26,616.00; end of 19th year about $28,632.00; end of 20th year about $31,740.00.

At the end of 20 years, when the purchaser reaches the age of 60, if she does not wish the monthly income of about $187, she can draw in cash the sum of $31,740. Should she die before reaching the age of 60 the cash value given above will be paid to her estate after the contract has been in force for five years. Death benefit from the first to fifth year inclusive is equal to the total amount deposited.

If after reaching 60 years of age and while she is enjoying the monthly income of $187, if she did not live long enough to receive in these monthly payments the amount of the guaranteed cash value of the contract, or $31,740, the balance will be paid to any named beneficiary.

In other words, the return to the [illegible] or to her estate will not be less than $3[illegible] after the retirement income payments commence.

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Wage-earning women in the United States spend over $[illegible] annually, according to the Department of Labor. There are in all some 11,000,000 women wage-earners in the country at the present time. Married women wage earners number around 3,000,000 and the amount spent each year by this group alone is something like $1,000,000,000.

In view of these statistics, women are becoming excellent prospects for life insurance. Women who are supporting themselves or helping support others, have the same reason for insuring as have men.

The self-supporting woman needs life insurance protection for those dependent upon her for support or, if she has no dependents, for her own future. Life insurance enables a woman to remain independent, and there is no safer or surer way for a woman to create an estate than through life insurance.

Financial Market News

DU PONT ABLE TO PAY ITS $4 DIVIDEND

By FRANK H. MELOON

Du Pont de Nemours & Co., of which Pierre S. du Pont, who was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at the age of [illegible], is president, will hold its [illegible] meeting Feb. 15. Du Pont [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Pierre S. du Pont [illegible] General Motors [illegible] [illegible] in Pont earnings only [illegible] cents a share.

Pierre S. du Pont
(International Newsreel Photo)

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In 1931 the du Pont earnings exceeded the dividend requirements by a margin of about 29 cents a share. Du Pont is the owner of 9,981,220 shares of General Motors. Pierre du Pont was president of General Motors back in the '20s and along about this time John J. Raskob was working as his stenographer. Street opinion is mixed on maintenance of the du Pont dividend at the current rate.

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Sir George Paish, editor and economist, says:

"The world is standing on the threshold of unparalleled prosperity."

The Paish statement has been widely ridiculed by the paragraphers who take a short term view of things whereas it is probably the fact that the British economist had no idea of making an overseas paraphrase of the Americanism which told us

"Prosperity is just around the corner."

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The fact that the United States has come out of all past depressions to achieve the very "unparalleled prosperity" of which Sir George Paish speaks is apparently forgotten by our present day pessimists.

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Some amusing discussions are heard in State st. among those conducting investment trusts. Some talk by of the necessity of [illegible] lity of underlying assets, which is at least sufficient cause for a smile or two when you consider that the security of principal factors ought to have had a lot more attention than it has received. Some of the leaders of investment trusts that have turned decidedly sour claim they did not lack judgment, but that no one else could have done better than they did themselves. The fact that some investment trusts have done better than others is sufficient answer to such dealers.

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We suggested some time ago that Chairman Louis C. Stone of the Federal Farm Board was engaged in a hazardous business when he broadcasted advice to cotton farmers to cut their planting acreage. We suggested that farmers who had been able to make money on 1931 prices should not be afraid of being able to make money in 1932.

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Then Carl Williams of the Farm Board was quoted as saying the worst of the cotton slump is passed, with export and domestic consumption greatly increased, seeming arguments for maintained planting. Now along comes the New York Cotton Exchange Service with the statement that fertilizer sales are off 40 per cent, indicating marked curtailment of southern planting.

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Undoubtedly a good deal of this curtailment has been caused by the financial difficulties of the planters. The curtailment should be a further factor for at least maintained or even somewhat higher prices. Bad advice by the way was responsible for many Southern planters losing possible profits in the raising of one staple cotton.

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Clarkson Potter, a partner in Hayden, Stone & Co., has applied for membership in the New York Stock Exchange through transfer of rights.

North Western Adds to Working Force

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway has opened its back shops in Chicago and placed 500 men to work there.

This is in line with expression of the road early in the week that it would proceed to give added employment wherever possible in view of wage reduction savings, also the savings it expects to effect in maintenance departments this year.

Dividends

May Department Stores declared a dividend of 45 cents on the common, payable March 1 to stock of record February 15. Previously the company has been paying 62½ cents quarterly.

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Skinner Organ Co. declared a dividend of 10 cents a share, payable February 8 to stock of record February 5. When Skinner Organ Co. merged with pipe organ division of Aeolian Co. of New York, certain assets of the Skinner Co. were withheld for benefit of old stockholders of the Skinner Co. It is from these assets that the current dividend is declared.

Bank Statement

Boston balance $17,000,000
Boston clearance $7,000,000

STATE ST. Hears:

That the caution of constructive sponsors has resulted in the price averages drifting into what many consider critical territory. They can hardly be blamed for their attitude. Any student of world affairs will readily admit that the present situation is not to be helped by war.

Market Action

Analyzing the market, when turnover is confined to under 1,000,000 shares, is hardly expected to produce any startling conclusions. The next best procedure is to examine the behavior of price averages over the past week or to study the fluctuations of leading issues. The averages have been drifting perilously close to the 75 level of the Dow, Jones index. Some traders were stopped out a week back when a daily low under this figure was established. Others preferring to guide themselves by closing prices, decline to sell until a closing of under 76 has been seen. Less than two points remain as leeway for the latter, and a further test of the old low would then be indicated.

Turning to the acknowledged market leaders. Study here shows that about all the bull leaders have attempted is an occasional run-in of small shorts. If they persist in these tactics while international affairs are unsettled then it is likely prices will wander aimlessly between the old lows and a point corresponding to the recent rally high.

Dodge Brothers

Those who consider purchasing attractive bonds at current levels might be interested in the suggestion of Joseph Marto, of J. A. Sisto & Co. He is impressed with the present status of Dodge Brothers debenture 6s of 1940. Anyone who has followed the conservative book keeping of Chrysler, who assumed the protective committee when the company was taken over, realizes the excellent current position of this issue. Selling at a discount of almost 20 points the bonds give an attractive yield. There are about 45 million outstanding and the call price is 105.

Dodge 6s are the sole funded debt of either Chrysler or Dodge and are backed nearly dollar for dollar by surplus. Fitch rates the bonds at "BBB." The 1931-32 low is 73¼ while the high of the same period is 93⅛. The bond appears to be a most desirable business man's buy.

Boardroom Briefs

That it is now expensive to follow the short side... U. S. Steel for example, cost shorts 50 cents a share for Wednesday and Thursday and returned little, if any, profit marketwise... This begins to look as though the shorts were being treated to the reverse medicine of 1929 when the longs were charged heavily for money... Whether or not the rails made any agreement about employing more men they are recalling many workers to the shops. The forecast by a leading motor statistician that 1,950,000 cars would be made this year is exciting much comment.

A few earnings estimates, some of which have been published elsewhere at slightly different figures are Canadian Pacific $1.10, Best 3.15, Penick & Ford $2.75, and Union Pacific $6.75. The latter indicates a dividend cut to around $6.

TRANSAMERICA NET LOWERED

San Francisco, Feb. 5—Transamerica Corp. reports for 1931 net profit of $6,245,837 after general and administrative expense, listing expenses, Delaware taxes in connection with reclassification of shares and minority interest in earnings of consolidated subsidiaries, but before taking up net loss on security transactions transferred to surplus account.

Net loss on sales of securities based on Dec. 31, 1930, market value or cost of subsequent acquisitions, less profit on syndicate participations, amounted to $4,278,156, including $2,887,500 profit resulting from sale of stock received in connection with reorganization of non-controlled company under contract providing for serial payments.

Reduction of securities held by consolidated companies to market or appraised value at Dec. 31, 1931, is shown as a surplus charge of $[illegible].

For year ended Dec. 31, 1930, company reported consolidated net profit of $18,537,369, including $2,[illegible]81,059 profit on sale of securities.

Consolidated net asset value of the corporation and subsidiaries as of Dec. 31, 1931, is reported at $131,121,778, or $5.54 a share on 23,6[illegible]368 shares of Transamerica stock.

Bayuk Cigar, Inc., Reports a Profit

Bayuk Cigars, Inc., for 1931 reports a profit of $25[illegible]751 after depreciation, interest, etc., but before reserves of $1,3[illegible],012 for adjustment of inventories of cigars and tobacco which were charges against surplus account.

This compares with a net income of $580,581 after depreciation, interest, federal taxes, etc., equal after preferred dividends to $3.04 a share on 98,851 common shares in 1930.

STOCK PRICES ARE LOWER IN BOSTON

Stock prices were worked to lower levels in today's dull trading on the Boston Stock Exchange. Losses ranged from fractions to around 3 points with rails bearing the brunt of the selling. Atchison lowered over 2 points to 78.

New Haven dropped 1⅞ to 24⅞ and Pennsylvania eased a minor fraction to 20[illegible]. Boston Elevated was a firm spot in the utilities advancing fractionally to 73½. American Telephone was down nearly 2 points to 11[illegible]. Edison Electric dipped a point to 186.

Boston & Maine prior preferred sold at [illegible] down a point from its previous closing point. United Shoe and American Woolen preferred were at slightly lower levels.

During 1931 the Boston Elevated Railway carried 324,788,5[illegible]7 revenue fare passengers at an average fare of 8.8 cents, compared with 342,694,905 passengers in 1930 at an average fare of 9.1 cents.

Balance sheet of Dec. 31, 1931, shows total assets of $119,391,710, current assets of $3,805,213, current liabilities of $5,121,527 and excess of current liabilities over current assets of $1,316,314. This compares with excess current assets on Dec. 31, 1930, of $1,266,212.

Boston Stocks

	High	Low	12.00	Chg
A				
Am Can	60¼	58 [illegible]	58½	1 [illegible]
Am For Pwr	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	—⅛
Atchison R R	79⅞	78 [illegible]	78 [illegible]	—2
Am Tel	113 [illegible]	111 [illegible]	112 [illegible]	—1⅞
Am Woolen pf	22 [illegible]	22	22	—[illegible]
Amoskeag	4	4	4	—[illegible]
Anaconda	9 [illegible]	9 [illegible]	9[illegible]	..
B				
Balt & Ohio	17 [illegible]	17½	17½	—[illegible]
Beth Steel	17⅞	17	17	—[illegible]
Bos Elev	73	73 [illegible]	73 [illegible]	[illegible]
B & M pr pfd	52	52	52	—1
Brown & Co pf	7	7	7	—1
C				
*Comwlth So	4 [illegible]	4	4 [illegible]	+ [illegible]
*Con Gas	58⅞	57 [illegible]	57 [illegible]	—1
Cop Range	2 [illegible]	2 [illegible]	2 [illegible]	..
E				
E G & F p pr	61 [illegible]	61½	61½	—1½
Edison	186	186	186	—1
F				
First Nat St	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	..
G				
Gen Elec	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	[illegible]
Gen Foods	33 [illegible]	33 [illegible]	33 [illegible]	[illegible]
Gen Motors	21⅞	20 [illegible]	21	[illegible]
Goodyear	14 [illegible]	14 [illegible]	14½	—½
I				
Int Tel	9⅛	9	9 [illegible]	—⅛
K				
Kreug & Toll	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	—[illegible]
M				
Mont Ward	8 [illegible]	8 [illegible]	8⅛	..
N				
Nash	17 [illegible]	17⅛	17⅛	..
N E Tel	108 [illegible]	108	108	—½
New Haven	26 [illegible]	24⅞	24⅞	—2
No Amer	32⅛	31⅞	31 [illegible]	—1⅛
P				
Packard	4 [illegible]	4	4	—⅛
R				
Penn RR	20 [illegible]	20¼	20¼	—[illegible]
Radio Corp	8	7 [illegible]	7 [illegible]	—½
S				
Std Brands	12 [illegible]	12¼	12¼	..
Stone & Web	11 [illegible]	11⅛	11⅛	[illegible]
Swift & Co.	18¼	18⅛	18¼	—[illegible]
U				
Un Aircraft	14 [illegible]	14	14 [illegible]	—¼
Un Corp	9	8½	8 [illegible]	—[illegible]
United Fruit	20 [illegible]	20⅞	20⅞	[illegible]
Un Gas & Im	19	19	19	[illegible]
United Shoe	37	36 [illegible]	37	
U S Steel	40 [illegible]	38 [illegible]	39⅛	—1⅞
Utah Metal	40c	40c	40c	..
W				
Westinghouse	25	24⅞	25	—⅝

*Ex-dividend

W. T. Grant Sales Show an Increase

W. T. Grant Company reports sales of $4,494,549 for January as compared with $4,109,717 for the like month in 1931, a gain of $384,832 or 9.36 per cent. Sales for the 12 months of the fiscal year ended January 31, 1932, amounted to $75,679,192 as compared with $71,[illegible]376,487 in the previous year, an increase of $4,302,705 or 6.03 per cent.

George W. Helme Reports Net Profit

George W. Helme Co., Inc., reports for the year 1931 a net profit of $2,147,690 after charges and federal taxes, equal after 7 per cent preferred dividend to $7.78 a share on 240,000 shares of common, as compared with $2,331,501 or $8.54 a common share in 1930.

Cotton Steady in New York Market

New York, Feb. 5.—Cotton futures today were steady, 2 points higher to 1 lower. March 6.60, May 6.7[illegible], July 6.93, Oct. 7.15, Dec. 7.30, Jan. 7.36.

New York Banks

	Bid	Asked	Prev Bid
Bank of Yorktown	30	41	[illegible]
Chase National	35 [illegible]	[illegible]	35
Chatham Phenix	19 [illegible]	2[illegible]	19 [illegible]
City	46 [illegible]	48 [illegible]	48
[illegible]		150	
Commercial National	[illegible]	15[illegible]	143
[illegible]	14.5	[illegible]	1[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	
[illegible]		[illegible]	
Harriman	1[illegible]	[illegible]	1[illegible]
Libert			
Manhattan	74 [illegible]	78 [illegible]	74 [illegible]
Merchant's		7[illegible]	
National Bronx	38	45	[illegible]
National Safel	7	8	7
Penn Exchg (new)	7	11	8
Public	22 [illegible]	24 [illegible]	22 [illegible]
Sterling National	11	[illegible]	1[illegible]
Text [illegible]	30	33	30
Trade	-	85	-
Washington National	[illegible]	4[illegible]	—
Yorkville	35	45	35

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Today's News of Live Stocks in Wall Street

Wall Street belief today was that prevailing dullness, if it could be accompanied by relative price stability, might be the most favorable development.

This might be accepted as signifying completion of liquidation except in specific issues which are forced to respond to especially unsatisfactory conditions. Difficulty experienced in enticing public participation is due principally to the recognized probability that other 1931 income statements to be issued will hardly make favorable reading.

At the same time, it is reported that extremely discriminating accumulation is under way in a few stocks, almost entirely on a scale downward.

U. S. Steel Stock Offering's Size

While the price of $40 announced on subscriptions for United States Steel common for employes was in line with expectations, the fact that the offering was increased to 200,000 shares instead of 100,000 shares as in past years has been widely discussed in Wall Street. It has been known that Steel common was meeting good buying under 40 and this was attributed to accumulations in connection with the offering to workers.

The point is made now that the purchases must have been nearer 200,000 shares, as made in the offering, than 100,000 shares mentioned in the earlier gossip around the financial district.

New General Motors Dividend

Reduction in the General Motors dividend rate to $2 a share was anticipated in many quarters. Although the optimists have been in during right along that a recent statement by President Sloan intimated that the distribution would not be disturbed at present. However, this view was far fetched.

Much more interest was aroused over the official statement that the reduction in the dividend was due to the fact that there are no indications as yet of definite improvement in the economic trend. Coming from General Motors this was considered disappointing.

That Selling in American Telephone

Much of the selling which has come into American Telephone on rallies recently has been accompanied by discussions doubting the maintenance of the current dividend rate of $9 per year. While there has been nothing from some of the recent reports of subsidiaries there is confidence in the best informed circles that no change will be made in the rate when the directors meet next Wednesday. Some of the recent reports of subsidiaries of American Telephone have been decidedly satisfactory.

This is true particularly of the companies on the Pacific Coast and in New England. These units actually recorded increases in revenues over the same periods of a year ago.

Good Buying of Atchison

Several times this week there have been statements from good quarters that good buying has been coming into Atchison. However, the stock has not shown this demand on the surface. It was maintained that the purchases were being made because the road would be among the first to reflect the benefits of the various encouraging developments of the past few weeks, including rate increases and wage reductions.

It is probable that if such buying has been in progress, it has been accomplished quietly and on a scale when the stock has receded. If this view is correct, it is certain that the influence of this accumulation must make itself felt later on.

Union Bag & Paper Buying

On several occasions since the beginning of the year there has been evidence of more interest in Union Bag & Paper. The stock has scored advances on small buying reflecting the reduction in offerings. Part of this accumulation can be explained by the results in 1931. The company showed net income of $112,584 after all deductions, including inventory adjustments.

This was equal to 77 cents a share on the outstanding stock. The improvement as compared with 1930 was substantial, for in that year there was a net loss of $155,283 after depreciation and interest and without allowance for inventory adjustments.

Du Pont Dividend Forecasts Mixed

Removal of the General Motors dividend from discussion for the time being naturally turned the attention of the street to the possible effect of the reduction on the du Pont payment. Wilmington advices intimated official opinion favored retention of the $4 rate but the street showed an unwillingness to accept such forecasts as entirely reliable.

MARKET VIEWS OF BROKERS

Whitney & Elwell—Narrow trading market is probably all that can be expected for the immediate future. Fluctuations are apt to be meaningless. We expect days of sagging markets to outnumber those of rally. There is nothing to put the market up except technical situations. Continued liquidation of loans, combined with selling by tired investment holders, will probably more than offset new buying until more attractive levels are reached.

Shields & Co.—Without a powerful new stimulus it will be difficult to change the market from the difficult, narrow trading affair it has been for the last few sessions. Big operators see little percentage in renewing short positions in the majority of stocks while continued quiet liquidation is in prospect. Rallies will be limited by lack of confidence and increasing pressure on any expansion of activity.

Hornblower & Weeks—We do not think the market can much longer delay giving way to a more decisive general movement and would be prepared to follow any material increase in activity in whatever direction it may develop.

SPECTATOR Says:

The narrow range of price movements over the past fortnight, accompanied by a gradual tapering off of activity, might be constructive light were it not for the soggy tone being currently shown by the rail group.

Market Signals

In the period since January 23, covering 11 trading sessions, the market, as measured by the Dow-Jones Industrial Averages, has shown a net decline of exactly .38 of a point. In this same interval, however, the rail index has declined almost 2 full points. This is a somewhat bearish indicator which should not be overlooked at this time.

Of course it may ultimately turn out to be nothing more or less than the gradual lowering of bids by investors to pick up stocks cheaper than expected, but viewing the situation entirely from the surface, it holds out implications which cannot be ignored by the trading element. It is an old adage that the stock market does not indulge for any extended time in such listless movements as have been witnessed during the last few days.

Upside Resistance

Adherents to the bull side of things point out that from a technical standpoint the market appears to be jockeying itself into a position where by going through the best prices of the early part of this week, a substantial upswing lasting probably ten days or two weeks would be signaled.

Some of the important points to watch in this connection would be Allied Chemical, going through 70; American Can, through 63; American Telephone, through 117; Case, through 38; Consolidated Gas, through 60; General Electric, through 21, and U. S. Steel, through 42.

Rails Important

However it is believed that such a movement could gain but little headway without the rails, since the latter are declared likely to encounter difficulty in penetrating the overhanging trading area formed during the past three weeks.

There seems to be no reason to relinquish an attitude of caution pending clear-cut indications of a definite trend.

Gas Conference at Tulsa on May 9

Preliminary arrangements for the annual meeting of the Natural Gas Department, American Gas Association, are well advanced, it was announced today. Committees in charge are hard at work to make this gathering at Tulsa, Oklahoma, May 9, 10 and 11 a conspicuous success. H. H. Rogers, one of the prominent oil and gas men in the Southwest, has accepted an invitation to speak on "Oil, Gas and the Banks in Relation to Public Welfare."

LOWER PRICES ARE THE RULE IN WALL ST.

New York, Feb. 5—Lower prices for important shares were the rule in today's trading on the New York Stock Exchange. Recessions were mostly only a point or so and the market was extremely dull once more.

Rails shared in the setbacks, but were not especially active.

RAILS SELL LOWER.

Atchison was down more than 2 points, while New Haven, New York Central, Chesapeake Corp. and Chesapeake & Ohio off a point or more. Union Pacific, on which dividend action is due in a few days, was down around 3 points. Wall St. generally looks for maintenance of the dividend at the current rate.

At the same time, there were point or more recessions for Woolworth, Westinghouse Electric, U. S. Steel, Pullman, Public Service of N. J., Peoples Gas, North American, Corn Products, Columbian Carbon, du Pont, Industrial Rayon, Case, American Tobacco B, Coca Cola, Consolidated Gas, Allied Chemical and American Can.

Auburn Auto was down 8 points. Detroit Edison and International Business Machines were off 2 or more.

The nation's general panorama of business and financial conditions showed little important change, Secretary Lamont of the other $8,000,000 in $500,000,000, the lowest figure with one exception shown in available records. Federal Reserve bank credit for the week ended February 4 increased $12,000,000, while a decrease of $20,000,000 in the banks' monetary gold stock and an increase of $42,000,000 in circulation were reported.

PENNSY PLAN BIG

The first concrete example of expected gains in business activity which engineers of the new reconstruction finance corporation have prophecied would appear soon after the new government body was formed, made it appearance today.

It came in the form of announcement that Pennsylvania Railroad had applied for a large federal loan to finance the $100,000,000 electrification project of its road.

This development was also described as an outshoot of the recent acceptance by rail labor of a 10 per cent pay cut. About 20,000 additional men would be restored to the work, it was said, if the Pennsylvania application were granted.

Eastern railroad executives have agreed on increased wage rates in keeping with their promises to rail labor and, among others, President Sheaff of the Boston & Maine today voiced the opinion that substantial increases in employment would be made.

Sterling rallies opened up ¼ cent at $3.45¾.

CURB MARKET MOVES LOWER

New York, Feb. 5—The curb market showed distinctly reactionary leanings with a decline of ½ to ¾ with rather persistent pressure in the run of active leaders carrying the extreme of ¾ to the wheel to new low ground on the movement.

Utilities were generally lower, with American Gas and Electric off almost a point, Electric Bond and Share down ¾, Middle West Utilities off ¾ to a new low for the year and United Light and Power off ¾.

Cities Service eased off nominally to the 5¾ level. Standard of Indiana was under pressure in a quiet oil list, showing a loss of ¾.

Deere was under pressure in the specialties with a drop of 1¼ points. Cord Corporation fell off fractionally.

Renewed weakness in Insull Utility investments which fell off ⅛ to a record bear market bottom at 2⅞ was a disturbing factor in a generally lower investment trust list.

Bank Clearings in Week Are Larger

New York, Feb. 5—Bank clearings, regarded as an index of the dollar volume of business, for 47 leading cities of th eUnited States, as reported to Bradstreet's, totaled $5,772,276 for the week ending Feb. 3, as against $5,112,528,000 for the previous week—an increase of 12.9 per cent. Omitting New York City, clearings amounted to $1,913,851,000 this week as compared with $1,828,547,000 in the preceding week. This week's increase of 4.6 per cent while the usual seasonal increase is 8.7 per cent.

Bar Silver Higher

London, Feb. 5 (A—)—Bar silver firm and ¼d higher at 19¾d per ounce.

New York Curb

	Latest Chge.
Alum Co Am	— ⅛
Am Gas & El	22½ — ⅛
Am Superpower	8¾ —
Atlas Utility	5¾ —.50
Brazilian Tr & Lt	10½ — ⅛
Cities Serv	5¾ —
Cons Gas Balt	65 + ⅛
Cord Corp	8¼ — ⅛
Deere & Co	6¼ —1¼
Elec Bond & Sh	10½ — ¾
Ford Motor Ltd	5¼ — ⅛
Goldman Sachs	21½ + ⅛
Great & West P	14½ — ⅛
Gulf Oil Penn	28¾ — ⅛
Insull Ut Inv	3½ — ⅛
Int Petroleum	9½ — ⅛
Mid West Util	4¾ —
Newmont	11⅞ —
Niagara Hud Pwr	8½ —
No States Pwr A	70½ —6¾
Panaroad	3¾ — ⅛
Pub Ut of Ind	4¾ —
United L & P A	5¾ — ⅛

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Yesterday's sales, 700,000 shares
Week ago, 1,800,000
Year ago, 1,488,941

1932 to date, 38,463,283
1931 to date, 47,896,680
1930 to date, 79,328,210

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1932 High	1932 Low	Div. in $		Sales Hundreds	High	Low	12 M Change
5⅝	⅜		Adams Exp	200	4⅝	4⅝	4½ — ⅛
4½	1		Adv Rumely	300	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜ — ⅛
11⅛	1.40		Alaska Juneau	1100	11⅛	10⅞	11 — ⅛
3⅜	1¼		Allegheny Cor	1100	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝ — ⅛
74¾	62¾	8	Allied Ch & D	3600	67¾	66¾	67 — ¾
13⅝	10⅝	.50	Allis-Chalm	100	11¼	11¼	11¼ — ⅛
7⅛	3½		Am Ac C Del	100	6	6	6 — ⅛
1⅛	⅝		Am Rest Sun	100	⅝	⅝	⅝ —
2¼	1.60		Am S Rh Fy	100	13	13	13 —
58¾	54¾		American Can	1200	60	59¾	59¾ — 1⅛
8½	6¼		Am C & Fdy	100	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛ — ⅛
34⅜	28	7	Am C & F 1st	10	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜ — ⅛
4½	3		Am For Pw	800	4	3⅞	4 — ⅛
30½	26	7	Am For Pw pf	100	25¼	25¼	25¼ —1⅜
47¾	42⅛	4.20	Am Home Prd	100	44⅞	44⅝	44⅝ — ⅛
17¾	12	2	Amer Ice	100	14½	14½	14½ —
22¾	17⅛	1.40	Am Mach Fdy	500	20¼	20¼	20 — ¼
18	16		Am Met Sec pf	10	17	17	17 — ⅛
35	29⅜	3.50	Am News Co	20	32	32	32¾ + 2⅛
13	10		Am Pw & Lt	400	13⅞	13¾	13¾ — ¼
1¼	⅝	.40	Am R & Sh S	700	1⅛	⅞	1⅛ — ⅛
10⅞	7¾		Am Roll Mill	300	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝ — ⅛
25½	21¼	5	Am Saf Razor	500	23	23	23 — ¼
19⅜	12¾	.50	Am Smelt & R	1000	15¼	15¼	14¾ — ⅜
			Am Solv & Ch	600	¼	¼	¼ —
9¾	6¾		Am Steel Fdy	100	8¼	8¼	8¼ — ⅛
75	69	7	Am Sti Fdy pf	10	70	70	70
8⅜	7⅜	7	Am Sug R pf	100	71	71	71
124⅜	107⅜	8	Am Tel & Tel	26400	113¾	111¾	111¾ —2
77⅜	65	6h	Am Tobacco	1900	76	75	75 — 1⅛
80	65½	6h	Am Tob B	3400	77½	76½	76¾ — 1⅛
32½	25⅛	3	Am Wat Wks	1400	28¼	28	28 — ⅛
24¼	15⅝		Am Woolen pf	700	22¾	22¾	22 — ⅛
9			Anaconda Cop	2100	9¼	9⅛	9⅛ — ⅛
26¼	6		Anacon W & C	100	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜ — ⅛
40	32	7	Armour D pf	400	36¾	36	36 — ⅛
3½	1		Armour of Del A	200	2	2	2 — ⅛
			Armour of Ill B	500	3	3	3 — ⅛
9½	6⅝		Armo of Ill pf	200	8	8	8 — ⅛
7¾	7⅝	6	Atch T & S F	4200	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞ — ⅛
1	1		Atlantic Ref	300	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛ — ⅛
47¾	37		Atlas Powder pf	30	37½	37½	37½ — ½
151⅛	113⅝	4e	Auburn Auto	14800	23⅜	113⅛	119 — 3

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8½	4⅝		Baldwin Locn	700	7	7	6⅝ — ⅛
19½	15½		Baldwin Lo pf	100	21	21	21
12⅛	8		Balt & Ohio	8100	17¾	17¼	16⅝ — ¾
43⅜	28⅛	4	Beatrice Cr	400	38	38	37⅝ — ⅜
85	83		Beatrice Cr pf	10	83	83	83
1	2⅝		Belding Hem	100	3¼	3¼	3 + ⅛
19⅜	11		Bendix Avia	600	16½	16½	16¼ — ⅛
31⅜	20¾	2	Best & Co	1300	21½	21½	21½ — ⅛
12⅝	8		Bethlehem Stl	4000	17½	17	17½ — ⅛
19⅜	12⅝		Blaw Knox	1000	15	15	15 — ⅛
5⅝	3⅜		Borden Co	1500	37⅜	37⅜	36⅝ — ⅜
12¾	9	1	Boro Warner	100	10¾	10¾	10¾ — ⅛
8	4		Briggs Mfg	100	8¼	8¼	8¼
41⅛	10⅝	4	Bklyn Manhat	2200	38⅜	38⅜	37⅝ — 1⅜
75	68	6	Bklyn Man pf	200	69½	70	69½ 70
83½	72½	5	Bklyn Un Gas	100	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝ — ⅜
8	4⅛		Bklyn Un Gas	100	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝ — ⅛
5⅝	3⅜		Bullard Co	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜ — ⅛
12⅜	10¾	80	Burrus A Mch	1500	10¾	10¾	10¾ —
⅝	⅜		Butte & Sup	300	⅜	⅜	⅜ —
15⅜	10¼		Byers (AM) Co	600	12¼	12⅛	11⅞ — ⅛
50¾	30	7	Byers (A M) pf	10	51	51	51 + 1

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10¾	8⅛		Calif Packing	100	10¼	10¼	10¼ — ¼
16⅝	8¾	1	Camn W&C F	100	6	6	6 — ⅛
2⅜	1.20		Can D Gin Ala	1400	11½	11⅜	11 — ⅛
13⅜	1.25		Canadian Pac	2800	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝ — ⅛
43⅜	31⅝		Case Thresh M	1800	34⅜	34⅜	32 — 3⅛
60	7		Case Thresh pf	20	60	60	60
15	11	1	Catasaqua Cem	100	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝ — ⅛
12½	11½	1.50	Cent Agulr A	100	11½	11½	11½
13⅞	9¼	1	Cent Agulr B	800	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝ — ⅛
20¾	13⅜		Chesan Corp	1100	15⅝	15⅛	15 — ⅛
31⅜	18¼	2.50	Chesan & O	8200	23⅝	23⅝	24⅜ — 1⅛
3⅞	2⅜		Chicago Pn W	100	2½	2½	2½ — ⅛
15⅝	8⅜		Chi Gt W pf	400	11¾	11¾	11¾ — ⅛
3⅜	1⅝		Chi Mltwfle	100	2¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
12⅝	6		Chi & Northw	2700	12¼	12¼	12¼ — ⅛
10¾	8¼	1	Chi R I & Pac	200	12¾	12¼	12½ — ⅛
10⅝	10⅛	3	Chi Tel Clo	100	20	19½	19½ — ½
15⅜	12⅛	1	Chrysler Mot	4500	12¾	12⅜	12⅜ — ⅛
17⅜	12⅜		Cluett Peab	100	16½	16½	16½ — ⅛
114¼	97⅞	7.25	Coca Cola Co	900	107	106¾	106¾ — ¼
38⅜	30	3	Columbia Carb	1400	31½	31⅛	30⅝ 31
24¾	17¾	1.50	Col Gas & El	3700	21⅜	21⅛	12⅜ — ⅛
25	15⅞	2	Com Inv Trust	700	.0⅝	8	8 — ⅛
8⅜	7¼	1	Com Solvents	700	8	7⅝	7⅞ — ⅛
4¾	3¼	.30	Com'wlth & Sc	92700	4¼	4¼	4¼
64⅝	55¾	4	Consld Gas	24200	58¼	57½	58¼ — ¼
93	90	8	Cons Gas pf	400	90	89¾	89½ — ¼
2	1		Cons Film	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛ — ⅛
2			Container A	100	2¼	2¼	2¼ — ⅛
2	4½		Cont Bak A	400	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜ — ⅛
3	2		Cont Bak B	200	3	3	3 — ⅛
37¾	31⅜	2.50	Continental C	3200	35	35	33⅜ 34 — ⅛
4⅜	2⅜		Cont Dis Tel	100	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝ — ⅛
24⅜	19⅜	2.40	Cont Insur	100	20¾	20¾	20⅝ 20⅝ — ⅛
3⅛	1		Cont Motors	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
3⅜	1⅜		Cont Shares	100	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
4¾	3¼		Cont Shares	100	⅞	⅞	⅞
45⅜	37	3.50	Corn Products	400	41¾	41¼	40⅝ — 1⅛
4⅜	2⅜		Cott Inc	100	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝ — ⅛
14⅜	13⅜	2.40	Crown Ck & R	800	13¾	13⅜	12⅜ — 1⅛
49⅜	27	2	Crucible Stl	1100	46	46	46 — ⅛
31	23	2	Curtis Publish	200	25	25	25
	1¼		Curtis Wright	800	2	2	1⅞ 2

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15⅛	12	1.40	Deere & Co pf	800	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝ — ⅛
10⅜	8⅜	1	Del & Hud	1100	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝ — ⅛
28⅝	18¼		Del Lak & W	300	20⅝	20⅛	20 — ⅛
122	108	8	Detroit Edison	200	113	113	112 — 2
5⅜	3⅜		Detroit Mot Ex	1100	4¼	4¼	4¼ — ⅛
24	11	1.50h	Dominion Stre	100	14¾	14¾	14¾ — ⅜
55	47⅜		Drug Inc	1900	51¼	51	51 — 1⅛
10¼	10	1	Dunlan Stll	700	10	9¾	9¾ — ⅛
97¾	47	4	Dupont De N	8500	50¼	50⅛	48⅝ 49 — 1¼
100⅛	98	6	Dun Da N deh	200	99½	99½	99½ 99½

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87⅞	73	5.75h	Eastman Kod	400	81	81	80 80 —1
7⅜	.80		Eaton Axle	200	6	6	6
31⅛	24⅜	4	Elec Auto Li	1100	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜ 27⅜ — ⅛
15⅜	13⅜	1	Elec Pw & Lt	1100	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞ — ⅛
33	25⅝	3	Endicott John	100	30¾	30¾	30¾ 30¾ — ⅛
3⅝	2⅜	2.50	Equit Office	200	18	18	18 — ⅛
11⅝	10	.25	Exch Buff	10	10¼	10¼	10¼ 10¼ — ⅛
11	7¼		Fed Dept Sto	100	11¼	11¼	11¼ — ¼
3⅝	2⅜	2.60	Fid-Ph Fire In	100	21¾	21¾	21¾ — ⅛
84	80	6.50	Filman's S pf	20	82	82	82
59⅜	50¾	8	First T&R of	100	54	54	54
49⅜	41⅛	2	First Nat Bt	400	47¾	47¾	47¾
			Fisk Rubber	1100	⅝	⅝	⅝ — ⅛
			Fisk Rub 1 pf	10	11	11	11
19⅛	18¼	2	Freeport Tex	100	17½	17½	17½ — ¼

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9⅛	5¼		Gen Baking	2000	14¾	14¾	14⅜ — ⅜
53	34		Gen Am Inv pf	100	53	53	53 — ⅛
3⅜	2⅛		Gen Am T Cr	400	30	30	30 — ⅛
14⅜	11	1.40	Gen Asphalt	1100	13¾	13¾	13¾ — ⅛
10⅜	8⅜	1	Gen Cable A	7200	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛ — ⅛
1.60	.60		Gen Elec ssse	100	10	10	10 — ⅛
1⅜	⅝		Gen G & E A	500	⅞	⅞	⅞ — ⅛
36⅜	31⅜	3	Gen Foods	900	33¾	33⅜	33½ — ⅛
41⅜	34⅜	3	General Mills	400	35⅝	35⅜	35⅝ — ¼
4⅜	3⅜		Gen Motors	1100	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝ — ⅛
4	3⅜		Gen Outdr Ad	100	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
5⅜	3⅜		Gen Pw Sland	100	3¾	3¾	3¾
11⅜	10		Gen Theatres	100	¾	¾	¾ — ⅛
1⅜	⅝		Gillette Saf R	100	12⅜	11⅞	12 — ⅛
2⅛			Gimbel Bros	100			
5⅜	3¼		Goodrich Rub	400	3¾	4	3¾ —
7⅜	5⅜		Goodyr T & R	1200	14¾	14½	14½ — ⅛
10	7¼		Gotham S Hos	200	9½	9½	9½ — ⅛
4¾	2¾		Graham Paige	1100	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
1.50	.50		Granby Cons	400	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
3⅜	2⅛		Grand Sl Stn	400	2¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
29¾	25¼	1	Grant (W T)	1100	25¾	25¾	25¾ — ⅛
1⅜	⅝		Griesbw Grun	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
14⅝	8		Gtf M & No pf	100	11⅝	11⅝	11 11⅝

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19½	15½	2	Nash Motors	4900	17	17	16½ 16⅝ — ⅛
7⅛	5¼		Nat Air Tr	500	7¼	7¼	7¼ — ⅛
7⅜	5⅜		Nat Aviation	300	7	7	7 — ⅛
44⅝	37¼	2.80	Nat Biscuit	400	40⅝	40⅜	39⅝ — ⅜
11⅝	7⅜		Nat Cash Reg	300	9¾	9¾	8¾ — ⅛
28⅜	21	2.80	Nat Dist Prod	1100	24	24	23¾ — ⅛
118	113	7	Nat Lead of A	80	118½	118½	118 118
18⅜	12⅜	1	Nat Pw & Lt	9100	13¾	13¾	13¾ — ⅛
23½	20	2	Nat Steel	100	20½	20½	20½ — ⅛
17⅜	11	2	Nat Surety Co	100	15¾	15¾	15¾ — ⅛
9⅜	6¾		Nat Tea Co	100	8¾	8¾	8¾ — ⅛
5⅜	3⅝	.40	New Cons Con	200	3¾	3¾	3¾
6⅜	6½	1	N Y Airbrake	200	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
36⅜	28½		N Y Central	10500	28¾	28¼	28¾ 27¾ —1
125	105	8	N Y & Harlem	80	105¾	105¾	105 — ⅛
31⅜	17¾		NY NH & H	2900	18	18	24½ 25 — 1⅜
78¾	65	7	NY NH & H pf	100	66	66	66 — ⅛
96	80	h	NY Stm 6 pf	10	96	96	96 + ⅜
6⅜	4		Norfolk & W	100	5¼	5¼	5¼ — ⅛
18	12¾	.9⅜	Noranda Min	1100	14¾	14¾	13⅜ 13⅜ — ⅛
120	111	12	Norfolk & Wst	100	124	124	124 — ⅛
11⅜	7⅜		North American	1100	9¾	9¾	9¾ 9½ — ⅛
4¼	2⅜		No Am Avia	100	3¾	3¾	3¾ 3¾ —
23¾	14⅜	2	Northern Pac	1600	20	20	19 19⅛ — ⅛

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6	3		Ohio Oil	400	5¼	5¼	5¼ — ⅛
28½	8½	1	Onnesh Coll	100	9	9	9
21⅝	16⅝	1.50	Otis Elevator	1100	17¾	17¾	17¾ — ⅛
4¾	3⅜		Otis Steel	100	3¾	3¾	3¾ —
22	20	2	Owens Ill Gl	300	21⅞	21⅝	21⅞ —

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36⅛	22¾	2	Pac G & Elec	400	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜ — ⅜
6	2		Pacific Mills	10	5	5	5 — ⅛
4⅜	2⅜		Pacific Tel	100	4	4	4 — ⅛
36½	18	1.60	Pan Am Pet B	200	17	17	17 — 1
11⅝	6¼	h	Param Publix	3100	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛ — ⅛
3⅜	1⅜		Parke Davis	600	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝ — ⅛
28⅛	21⅝	2.40	Penney Co	2600	28¼	28¼	27¾ 27¾ —1
23⅜	17½	2	Penn R R	2600	20⅜	20⅛	20⅛ — ⅛
121	108⅜	8	Peoples G & C	300	109½	108½	108⅝ —2
2⅜	⅝	.30pf	Pere Marq	1100	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
8	6		Phelps Dodge	900	6½	6½	6½ — ⅛
38	25¾	3	Phila Co Sec pf	100	37¾	37¾	37¾ — ⅜
8	5		Phila Elec Pw	1100	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
8	1		Philip Morris	100	8¾	8¾	8¾ — ⅛
9⅛	4		Phillips Pet	1100	4¾	4¾	4¾ — ⅛
5⅜	3⅛		Pierce Arrow	4800	⅝	⅝	⅝ — ⅛
1			Poor & Co	100	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
9¾	5¼		Porto Rican Am	100	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
7	4½		Postal T&C vt	100	6¾	6¾	6¾ — ⅛
8⅜	6⅛		Prairie Pipe L	100	7	7	7
8⅜	6⅝		Pressed Stl Car	100	7¾	7¾	7¾ — ⅛
42⅝	37⅜	2.40	Proc & Gamb	400	39⅝	39⅜	39⅜ — ⅛
57⅜	49⅛	3.40	Pub Sv of NJ	1700	52¾	52⅛	50⅝ — 1⅜
24⅜	18⅜	1	Pullman Inc	2400	21	21¼	20⅝ — ⅜
14⅜	10⅝	2	Purity Baking	200	13	13	13 — ⅛

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9⅛	5¼		Radio C of Am	9900	7⅞	7⅞	7¾ — ⅛
18⅜	9⅛		Rad Cofa of R	900	14¾	14¾	14 — 1
14⅛	9¾		Radio K Orph	100	11¾	11¾	11¾ — ⅛
2⅜	⅝	1.80	Ravbestos	300	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝ — ⅜
3⅛	2⅛		Real Silk Hos	300	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
3⅜	2		Rels Co	100	2¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
3⅜	2		Rem Rand	100	2¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
3⅜	3	.40	Rep Motor	1600	3	3	3
			Repub I & St	500	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜ — ⅛
44⅜	32¾	3	Revn Tob B	2300	36¼	36⅛	37⅛ 37⅛ — ⅜
20⅜	10⅛	1.20	Stand Brands	200	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛ — ⅛
38⅛	25⅜	3.80	Stand G & El	500	27¾	27¾	27¾ — ⅛
28⅜	21⅜	2	Stand Oil Cal	200	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜ — ⅛
52¾	25½	1.20a	Stand Oil of NJ	2500	27¾	27¾	26⅝ 27⅛
40	25½		Starr Sec Co pf	100	25½	25½	25½ — ⅛
54½	9¼		Stew Warn pf	200	11	11	10⅝ 11 — ⅛
2⅝	1	20	Studebaker Co	100	11¾	11⅜	11⅜ — ⅛
104⅛	73	6	Sun Oil	90	74¼	74¼	74 74

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16½	9⅛	2	Texas Co	800	11¾	11¾	11⅜ — ⅜
55⅝	19⅛	3	Texas Gulf Sul	200	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛ — ⅜
9	1¼		Thermoid	100	2	2	2
3⅜	2		Tide A Wat	200	2¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
12	3¾		Timken D Axle	100	4	4	4
39	16⅜	2	Timken Roll Br	1100	19⅛	19	19 — ⅛
	16		Transamerica	300	3¾	2¾	2¾ — ⅛
11⅛	3		Tri-Continent	200	3¾	3¾	3¾

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79⅜	13⅜	4	Underwd Elliot	100	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
72	27½	2.80	Un Car & Carb	1300	29⅜	28⅝	29⅜ — 1⅛
20⅜	15	10	Union Pacific	1100	73½	73½	71 — 2¾
38⅜	24		Un Air Craft	1400	14¼	14¼	14¼ — ⅛
41⅝	18	2	United Biscuit	100	22½	22½	22½ — ⅛
4⅜	2		United Corp	1100	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝ — ⅛
7⅞	3¼	.75	United Corp.	3200	8¼	8¼	8¼ — ⅛
52½	16⅛	3	United Corp pf	100	38¾	35⅜	35¾ — 1⅛
12	3		United Drug A	100	3¾	3¾	3¾ — ⅛
67⅛	17½	3	United Fruit	100	20¾	20¾	20¾ — ⅛
37⅜	19¾	1.40	Un G & Imp	900	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛ — ⅛
106⅝	85	3	Un G & Imp pf	100	86¼	86¼	86¼ — 1⅛
37⅛	10	2	US Cast IP&Fd	100	13¾	13¾	13¾ + ⅛
37⅜	16		US Air Reduc	1400	17⅜	17⅛	17⅛ — ⅛
150	14⅛	1.80	US Gypsum	100	20¾	20¾	20¾ — ⅛
77⅜	20⅝		US Indus Al	400	23¾	23¾	23¾
36⅜	5⅜		U S Rubber	1100	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜ — ⅛

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.0⅝	⅛		U S Rubber	500	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛ — ⅛
36⅜	6⅜		U S Rubr of	100	8	8	8 — ⅛
23⅜	35⅜		U S Steel	4500	40¾	40¼	39⅜ — ⅜
152⅜	99	7	U S Steel pf	400	101⅜	101⅛	100½ — ⅛
1⅜	⅝		United Stat	100	1⅛	⅞	1⅛ — ⅛
52	21	4	US Stores pf	1100	43¾	43¾	43¾ — ⅛
42⅜	31⅜	2.50	Utd Aircraft	100	37¾	37¾	37¾ — ⅛
31⅜	7⅜	2a	Util P & L A	200	8⅝	8⅝	8½ — ⅛

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COOK-COOS

By TED COOK

Scientists announce that with low temperatures they can change a male frog into a female.

It would be nice if, with low temperatures, they could turn an apartment janitor into a human being.

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FAIR PLAY DEPT.

(Lamar, Mo., Democrat)

"Admission to 'Aunt Jerusha,' a play by the Oakton School, was mistakenly given in Wednesday's issue at 10 and 25 cents. It should have been 10 and 15 cents."

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There isn't any doubt of it.

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The dogfish knows no parlor tricks—
It won't play dead; it can't chase sticks,
Yet the dogfish is in clover,
With no fleas to scratch like Rover.

The catfish has far too much sense
To sing all night on your back fence.
And, although good to eat, you'll note
He won't be skinned to trim a coat.

The seahorse does not have a cinch
(To squeeze its body inch by inch).
And, furthermore, when it is through,
It won't be cooked up into glue.

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Stooges who go out on bonds
Never tire business suns.

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AMERICAN TRAGEDY

(News Item)

DETROIT—A legal battle between two nationwide chains of hamburger lunchrooms struck a snag when Master of Chancery William S. Sayres, Jr., after listening to the evidence, said, "I'm not certain just what a hamburger is . . . could it be like a hot dog?"

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MAN OF THE HOUR

This is Ponzi Doakes, of the Wall Street firm of Doakes, Doakes & Doolittle. Doakes' report says the motion picture industry will be back on a paying basis as soon as enough orphans can be found to take over executive positions. At present, he says, executives have too many relatives on the payrolls.

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Salaries don't shrink
For stooges who wink.

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Romance moderne—

LEBANON, Pa.—Landis Deck, farm hand, confessed that his story that someone had attempted to "put him on the spot" was a ruse to win the love of a country maiden.

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BULL-ETIN

(Interview)

"I'm tired of playing hussies. I want to be a good girl on the screen." — Jean Harlow.

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Simile—

Busy as a Chicago hootician during the national conventions.

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And there's no truth in the report that it's Theodore Dreiser who keeps calling up radio stations to request "When It's Sleepy Time Down South."

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FAMOUS LAST WORDS

I guess we'll just have to let them repossess the engagement ring, sweetheart.

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You go your way.

Maybe I'm Wrong

—By JOHN P. MEDBURY—

About Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 5 — The most talked of social event here in town was when Hollywood's biggest pain in the neck gave an "at home" to all his friends. He gave it at a drug store and held the reception in a telephone booth. At the last minute one of the guests couldn't come, which meant that there was nobody at the party. But the host had company anyway. He kept putting nickels in the telephone and talked to central all afternoon.

The Dizzy Heights

A little extra girl was whining to her friend the other evening and insisted that he buy her an expensive wrap. She said she'd freeze to death in anything except ermine.

Take It or Leave It

If all the beards and whiskers worn by character actors in Hollywood were placed end to end, they would stuff enough mattresses for all the movie fans in the country to lie on.

The Crack of the Day

Georgie Stone and Bob Woolsey were having a long discussion on flirting, and the name of a mutual feminine acquaintance of theirs came up. "Nobody ever flirted with her in her life," said Woolsey. "She's the kind of a girl that even a kleptomaniac wouldn't pick up."

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THIMBLE THEATRE, Starring POPEYE — Now Showing—"Itching Knuckles"

HERE'S THE BULLET YA SHOT THROUGH ME BACK, AN' I'M GONER. MAKE YA EAT IT!
I'M GONER. CRAM IT DOWN YER NECK.
OPEN YER HATCH OR I'LL BOP YA AGAIN
SWALLER LEAD OO: YA!!
ULP
POOEY
POOEY ON THE WORKS! YOU, TOO, BIG BOY!
OLD COUNCIL

BRINGING UP FATHER — The Dog Escapes

YOU NEEDN'T LOOK AT ME I AIN'T GOIN TO TAKE YOU OUT TO-DAY.
THERE NOW- STAY IN THE HOUSE.
GEE! WHAT A RELIEF IT IS TO BE SAFELY AWAY FROM THAT DOG
WOOF WOOF
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POLLY AND HER PALS — Ashur's No Tattletale!

I'LL SELL THIS UMBRELLER FER JESS WOT I PAID FER IT!
O.K.! IT'S WORTH A BUCK TO SAVE MY NEW KELLY!
WOT TH-?
Y'DERN GYPPER! WHY DIDN'T Y TELL ME THIS BUMBERSHOOT WAS FULLA HOLES?
THE FELLER WOT SOLD IT TME DIDN'T MENTION 'EM, UNK!
SO I THOUGHT MEBBE IT WAS A SECRET!!

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY — Fugitives From Justice

THERE'S MRS. MEANEY NOW—WE GOT TO FIND OUT IF SHE SAW ME TALKIN' TO THAT COP YESTERDAY—IF SHE DID SHE'LL BE GOIN' DOWN TO THE POLICE STATION TO FIND OUT DID THEY CATCH ME—WE GOTTA FOLLOW HER!
ORPHANAGE
NOW I KNOW SHE SAW ME—I'LL BETCHA EVERY COP IN TOWN WILL BE TRYIN' TO CATCH ME—AN' DRAG US BACK TO MRS. MEANEY'S ORPHAN ASYLUM!!
POLICE
—AN' IF SHE EVER GETS HER HANDS ON ME I EXPECT SHE'LL ALMOST KILL ME.—AN' EVEN IF SHE DIDN'T KILL ME—I GUESS I'D JUST DIE IF I HAD TO GO BACK TO HER ORPHAN ASYLUM!!
NOW WE GOTTA KEEP OUR EYE OUT FOR COPS—JUST LIKE WE WAS CROOKS OR SOMETHIN'—AN' THE WORST OF IT IS—IF WE CAN'T ASK COPS—HOW KIN WE FIND OUT IF UNCLE PADDY HAS COME BACK OR NOT??

BARNEY GOOGLE — Costly Friendship

CONGRATULATIONS! I HEAR. THEY'RE GONNA PULL A BARNEY GOOGLE DERBY AT THE FAIR GROUNDS NEXT WEEK! BOY! THAT'S A GREAT HONOR.
YOU SAID IT! I'M TRYIN' TO TALK 'EM INTO MAKIN' IT AN ANNUAL AFFAIR LIKE THE LOUISVILLE DERBY—ONLY MUCH BIGGER!
LOOK, CORNELIUS—THAT'S MR. GOOGLE!! I'D LOVE TO MEET HIM. LET'S ASK HIM IF HE WON'T JOIN US FOR TEA
HI YAH. BARNEY OL' PAL. WHEN JA GIT TO TOWN?
MEBBE I SHOULDN'T O SPOKE TO YOU
YOU'RE TELLING ME?

TIM TYLER'S FLYING LUCK — The Switching Hour

I'LL CRAWL ALONG THE OUTER WALL UNTIL I GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO MAKE A DASH IN THE SHADOWS TO THE MAIN BUILDING WITHOUT BEING SEEN
HELLO—I MUSTN'T RUN INTO THAT IMPORTANT LOOKING CHAP! SAY, I WOULDN'T BE A BIT SURPRISED IF HE WERE COUNT KARLIN. HIMSELF!!
THEY'RE CHANGING THE GUARD—
NOW IF I DON'T WE ANY TROUBLE IN FINDING MY WAY TO THE ROYAL KITCHEN, I'LL SOON DISCOVER WHAT'S HAPPENED TO SPUD—!

KRAZY KAT — Tattletale!

HELLO, MR. KATZANNIE TAYLS. HOW ARE YOU AND YOUR NINE TAILS?
ALL FINE— HOW ARE YOU?
YOU'RE A TAIL EXPERT, TELL ME, HAVE THOSE "MANKISES" NO TAILS?
NO SIR, NOT A TAIL IN A MILLION OF THEM AND ARCHIE WILL BE.
YET THAT "MANKS" FAMILY WHO ARE NOW IN COCONINO HAVE TAILS IN DAYTIME, AND NO TAILS AT NIGHT— HOW COMES THAT?
OH-HOH- IS THAT SO?
W-WHO-O-OO?
THAT "MANKS" OUTFIT, HAVE YOU SEEN THEM AROUND?

HEARST STOCK EARNINGS STRONG

San Francisco, Feb. 5 (US)—Net income of Hearst Consolidated Publications, Inc., and subsidiary companies for the year ended December 31, 1931, totaled $7,473,031, or equivalent to $3.73 per share on the authorized issuance of 2,000,000 shares of Class "A" 7 per cent cumulative participating preferred, according to a preliminary earning statement issued today by executives.

Net earnings for 1931 were 2.13 times the annual dividends totaling $3,500,000 on the entire issue of Class "A" preferred, which pays $1.75 per share a year.

14 MILLION INCOME

Gross revenues from operations amounted to $73,083,798, operating expenses were $60,839,812 and gross profits, before all charges, $12,243,986, while income from other sources was $1,762,452, making a gross income of $14,006,439.

Assets of Hearst Consolidated Publications, Inc., as of December 31, 1931, were increased to $129,263,544. Twelve of the most profitable and seasoned publishing properties of William Randolph Hearst are owned by this successful corporation.

IN STRONG CONDITION

Hearst Consolidated Publications, Inc., presents a nationwide diversification of holdings and includes such nationally known properties as the New York Evening Journal, Chicago Evening American, Detroit Times, Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph, San Francisco Examiner, Los Angeles Examiner, San Francisco Call-Bulletin, Los Angeles Herald-Express, Oakland Post-Enquirer, Seattle Post-Intelligencer, the American Weekly and the American Newsprint Company, which serves the Western members of this group.

The earning statement indicates the healthy financial position and stabilized revenues of Hearst Consolidated Publications, Inc., resultant from its product being an urgent public necessity in the face of all economic conditions.

HAMMOND NEW PUBLISHER

New York, Feb. 5 (US)—James Hammond, prominent Pittsburgh merchant, will become publisher of the Detroit Times about March 1, it was announced by the general manager of Hearst newspapers here today. Mr. Hammond succeeds Roger M. Andrews, who resigned to become publisher of the Detroit Times in December.

Hammond is 39, a World War veteran, and has had a brilliant career in the business world.

He organized and was cashier of the Arkansas Training Camp Pike, Arkansas, later becoming vice-president and cashier of the Worthen Company, Bankers, of Little Rock, Arkansas. In 1922 he was brought to New York by Samuel Rephann. He became secretary of the Associated Dry Goods Corporation and then treasurer of Lord & Taylor's, which position he held for four years. Later as treasurer of Onyx Hosiery, Inc., he effected the sale of that company to Gotham Silk Hosiery Company.

After joining the banking house of Hayden, Stone & Company, he went to Gimbel Brothers, Inc., as president of the Pittsburgh store of that name. Bernard F. Gimbel, president of Gimbel Brothers, Inc., stated that no successor has been chosen to succeed Mr. Hammond.

Kehillath Israel Anniversary Feb. 16

A dinner dance and entertainment in the Temple vestry on Tuesday night, February 16, will observe the 15th anniversary of Congregation Kehillath Israel, Harvard st., Brookline.

During part of the program Julius P. Selya, one of the original charter members, will read an historical history of the congregation.

Rabbi Louis M. Epstein has been spiritual leader of the congregation for seven years, and Joseph Rudnick of Brookline is completing an eighth year as president of the congregation.

Half a League's Worse'n None

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

The Geneva conference has a chance to make itself useful.

If it can't stop the fight it can hold the coats.

When a little group of men try to control the world it's like bobsledding on straws.

The universe is too big. You can get an idea of its size by pushing a peanut around it with your nose.

Japan and China blew out like a second-hand tire on a skid.

All the League can do is pass resolutions condemning the by-laws and hoping the constitution doesn't ruin the preamble.

The Japanese pulled their war at a smart time. It gives them a talking point at Geneva. They'll give up 300 miles of China and finish with 800 more than they started with.

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POLITICAL NEWS

SEEKS CHANGE

Chairman Frank J. Donahue of the Democratic State Committee, as a result of a conference with Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook and Chairman Amos L. Taylor of the Republican State Committee, is trying to get permission of the Democratic National Committee to change the call for the election of delegates to the national convention. The G. O. P. call is based on the new 15 congressional districts, while the Democratic plans require an election of delegates on the present strength of 16 Congressmen.

COLLECTIONS FOR FINES

With the exception of Boston, Springfield and Worcester, Newton public library has the largest circulation in the state, the legislative committee on education has been informed. The committee was considering a bill to allow the library trustees to use money collected for fines. At present, in most communities, this revenue goes into the general fund of the city.

NOW THEY REMEMBER

Showing how short is the public memory, Members of the House had forgotten, until reminded by Rep. John Higgins, of Boston, during the debate over the order filed by Rep. C. F. Nelson Pratt, of Saugus, for an investigation of state contracts, that Pratt was one of 18 legislators who voted against the impeachment of former Atty.-Gen. Arthur K. Reading.

VALENTINE PARTY

The Women's Democratic Club of Ward 17 will hold a valentine party next Tuesday night at the Roberts Post clubhouse on Clayborn and Park sts., Dorchester. Mrs. Estelle Mawr is chairman, assisted by Rita and Kay Hill, Anna Foster, Anna Nagle and Mrs. Charles O'Neil. Among the guests will be William M. Prendible, clerk of the Superior Criminal Court, Representative Owen Gallagher and Representative Frank McFarland and City Councillor Tom Burke.

Birth—Marriage—Death Notices

In this column $1.00 for the first four lines or less. 25c each additional line. Notices may be mailed to the Classified Dept., or telephoned to Liberty 4000.

Births

DELANEY—To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Delaney, 30 Hewlett st., Roslindale, Jan. 31, a daughter.

FARRELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Chester Farrell, 24 Linden Pl., Brookline, Jan. 31, a daughter.

MACDONALD—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacDonald, 1141 North Main st., Randolph, at Massachusetts Memorial Hospital, Feb. 2, a daughter.

Deaths

BABCOCK—At his late home, 65 Appleton st., Arlington, Feb. 3, Alfred H. Babcock. Funeral services Saturday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BERGMAN—In Cambridge, Feb. 3, Johanna Bergman, 60 years, widow of the late Carl J. Bergman, late resident, 31 Worcester st. Cambridge. Funeral services at the residence of Mrs. Hanna Lee, corner Columbia and Washington sts., Cambridge, Saturday, Feb. 6, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BLUNDON—In Somerville, Feb. 2, Stephen, husband of Minnie Gould Blundon. Funeral services at his home, 24 Magnus Ave., Somerville, Friday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BROOKS—In Newton, Feb. 3, Ellen Brooks, widow of Benjamin and wife of the late Henry Brooks. Funeral from her late home, 11 Hunt St., Friday, Feb. 5, at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass at the Church of Our Lady Queen of Angels at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

BURNS—In Dorchester, Feb. 3, Mary Ann, age 22 years, beloved daughter of Thomas F. and Annastasia (Duffy) Burns. Funeral from her late home, 5 Ellerton st., Dorchester, Monday, Feb. 8, at 8:30. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Peter's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

CONNERS—In Roxbury, Feb. 3, Patrick A., beloved husband of the late Mary and Margaret Conners (nee Burns). Funeral services at his home, 38 Chevesus St., Saturday, Feb. 6, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. World war veteran.

CONNOLLY—In Dorchester, Feb. 2, Patrick J., son of the late John and Catherine Connolly. Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Frank A. Wood, 15 Reillower St., Saturday, Feb. 6, at 8:30. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Margaret's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

COWIN—In Nashua, N. H., Feb. 3, Charles Cowin, formerly of Boston, aged 59 years. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of the Shurtleff Funeral Service, 1 Cross St., Medford, Saturday, Feb. 6, at 3 p. m.

DOYLE—In Waltham, Feb. 3, Peter F. Doyle. Funeral from his home, 31 Wellesley, Saturday, Feb. 6, at 8:30. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Peter's Church, Waltham, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

FUCCILLO—In Boston, Feb. 2, Benjamin, age 52, beloved husband of Sabina Fuccillo (nee DiBenedetto). Funeral from his late residence, 80 Prince st., Boston, Saturday, Feb. 6, at 8:30. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Leonard's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HEARD—In Brookline, Feb. 3, Frederic Congdon Heard, in his 80th year. Funeral from his late home, 49 Allen Pl., Brookline, on Saturday, Feb. 6, at 2 o'clock. Burial private at Newton Cemetery.

HOWE—In Swampscott, Mass., Feb. 3, William David Hunt, husband of the late Agnes H. (nee Hunt). Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 3 Calliope Terrace, Swampscott, Feb. 6, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

IOVINO—In Revere, the 2nd, Filomena Iovino, beloved wife of Joseph, and sister of Biagio Iovino. Funeral from her late residence, 11 Broadway, Friday, Feb. 5, at 9 a. m., Solemn high mass at St. Anthony's Church at 10 a. m. Relatives and relatives invited to attend.

LANCASTER—In Wellesley Farms, Feb. 2, Mary Lancaster, aged 80 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 21 Forest Rd., Wellesley Farms, Saturday, Feb. 6, at 8 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's Church, Needham, at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

MACKINNON—In Boston, Feb. 2, Frederic Congdon Heard, in his 80th year. Funeral from his late residence, 49 Allen Pl., Brookline, on Saturday, Feb. at 2 o'clock. Burial private at Newton Cemetery.

MAHONEY—In Needham Heights, Feb. 3, Mary E. (nee Sullivan), beloved wife of Cornelius F. Mahoney. Funeral from her late home, 1 Rhoda Ave., Saturday, Feb. 6, at 8 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Joseph's Church, Needham, at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

MCCABE—In Boston, Feb. 2, John G., beloved husband of Agnes McCabe (nee Mahoney). Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 226 Allston st., Friday at 8:30. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

MORLEY—In Charlestown, Feb. 3, Agnes Louise Irving, beloved wife of the late Jeremiah Joseph Morley. Funeral from her late home, 86 Chapman st., on Saturday at 8:15. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

NORTON—In Wakefield, Feb. 2, Willard A. Osgood, age 63 years, of 287 Elm St. Funeral services will be held at the Woodlawn Cemetery Chapel, Friday, Feb. 5, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

PORTER—In Wakefield, Feb. 3, Howard Wilson, son of Melvin E. and Porter, of 15 Walnut St. Funeral service at the Crematory Chapel, Mt. Auburn Cemetery on Friday, Feb. 5, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

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Deaths

BESQUIST—In Arlington, Feb. 3, Hannah C., widow of Carl A. Besquist. Funeral services at the First Boston and Somerville Swedenborgian Church, Massachusetts Church, Westminster Ave., Arlington Heights, Sunday, Feb. 7, at 2:30 p. m.

BOWEN—In Waltham, February 2nd, Patrick H. Rooney, beloved husband of Mary (Sullivan) Rooney. Funeral from his home, 22 Townsend St., Friday, February 5, at 8:30 a. m. to Waltham, Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Mary's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

BOWERS—In South Boston, Feb. 2, Florence R. (nee Pratt), beloved wife of Frederick Bowers, at her home, 619 Dorchester Ave. Friday, Feb. 5, at 2 p. m. Services at the First Spiritualist Church, Dorchester st., at 2:30. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

WHALEN—In Medford, Feb. 3, Margaret M. Whalen, formerly of Charlestown, beloved sister of the late John F. Whalen. Funeral at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Clement's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Also a requiem mass of St. Gertrude's Court 141, M. C. O. F.

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China's Plight Proves Unpreparedness Folly

Let us look at the plight of China with level gaze and speak the truth.

Kipling's line—"If you can keep your head, when all about you are losing theirs, and blaming it on you"—is well to bear in mind in a juncture like the present.

The position of China—internally, one of chaos; externally, one of helplessness—is the result OF HER OWN FOLLY, corruption, incapacity to learn from the oft-repeated experience of defeat, and her utter imbecility in the FIRST and MOST IMPORTANT TASK WHICH RESTS UPON A NATION—SELF-DEFENSE.

For years she has submitted to extortion and oppression at the hands of her own leaders. She has resisted every work of rescue and rehabilitation. Her attitude toward the modern spirit and toward progress has been one of unvarying hostility.

She has been a source of exasperation to every nation that has had contact with her, and is the despair of those who wish her well.

Possessed of one of the greatest and richest areas of the earth's surface, with a population of 450,000,000, by no means lacking in natural ability and qualities of courage and endurance, the only thing that she has been able to preserve down through the ages is—not her territorial integrity, not her governmental autonomy, not her self-respect—BUT HER HELPLESSNESS.

This condition is chronic. It is a source of international infection. It breeds exasperation, with the natural off-shoots of impatience, reprisal and acts of force, and forceful protest on the part of the nations exposed to it.

Japan is not the only nation which has been goaded into measures of coercion. Considering the proximity of China to Japan, the latter has undergone more than other nations have been called upon to bear, and has conducted herself with equal, if not relatively greater, self-restraint.

The most populous nation in the world, with a vast domain of great natural wealth, should be able to order its affairs without perpetually endangering the peace of the world, and without an unceasing cry for succor.

In the present crisis China is relying upon an age-old formula, which she regards as better than self-discipline and manly exertion. Her aim is to embroil the leading Powers of the world among themselves, and, through collisions of interest or dissunion of counsel, to escape the condign penalties of her slack and supine theories of life and government.

China is "THE HORRIBLE EXAMPLE" OF A NATION LOST TO SELF-RELIANCE AND GIVEN OVER TO IMPROVIDENCE AND A HOOVER POLICY OF UNPREPAREDNESS.

If a nation of 450,000,000, inhabiting a productive soil, cannot cope with a nation of 70,000,000, living on narrow and seagirt islands, forced to a stern fight for mere subsistence, she is entitled to little sympathy, and even LESS HELP FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD.

The nations of the West have their own problems and their own duties, which are difficult and pressing.

THEY ARE NOT CALLED ON TO SACRIFICE EITHER BLOOD OR TREASURE IN DOING FOR CHINA WHAT SHE HAS SO RESOLUTELY AND SHAMEFULLY REFUSED TO DO FOR HERSELF.

Central Artery Needed

The Chamber's Able Report

In a very able report, the Committee on Highways and Rapid Transit of the Boston Chamber of Commerce discusses Mayor Curley's progressive plan for the development of a central artery in the city of Boston.

The Committee finds that a necessity exists for the widening of Cross Street from the entrance to the new East Boston tunnel to Haymarket Square and for the establishment of a traffic circle in Haymarket Square with pedestrian underpasses.

These two developments are a section, but a very important one, of the general plan which Mayor Curley has outlined with foresight for the convenience of traffic and for the general improvement of the city of Boston which cannot afford to stand still.

With the opening of the East Boston tunnel a new stream of auto traffic will pour into the heart of business Boston. It can not be absorbed by existing facilities. Accommodation must be made for it unless congestion is to be permitted to become insufferable.

We want our own people and our visitors who come here to trade and vacation to be able to ply their pursuits without discomfort and inconvenience.

It has been said that some of this section of downtown Boston is over-assessed. That is merely another way of saying that property values there have declined.

They have declined because Boston has been building up other sections of the city at their expense. But this section of the city is bound to improve in value when the new tunnel brings to it the thousands of persons who will find this route available to them from the north of Boston.

It can derive its fullest expansion, however, when the development of Cross Street and Haymarket Square enable these people to transact their business without the delays and annoyances induced by congestion.

Goal Must Be Reached

The $3,000,000 unemployment fund should be kept open until the goal is reached.

New York raised $18,000,000 by popular donations for this worthy cause. Philadelphia and many other cities whose financial and economic conditions are severe as compared with Boston attained the quotas they set for themselves.

Let it not be said that Boston failed.

Let it not be said for the first time that Boston can not care for its own.

Contributions are asked in the name of those who suffer for food and clothing.

The people of Boston will not allow their plea to be in vain.

-:- Words of the Wise Men -:-

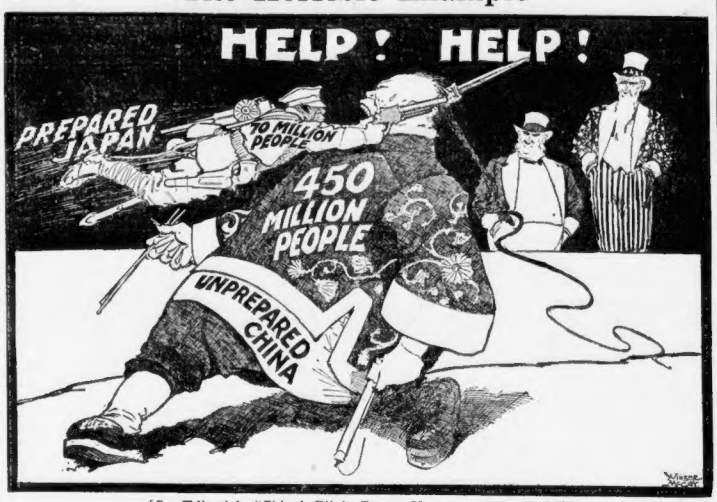
Proverbs are short sentences drawn from long and wise experience. —Cervantes.

If you wish to fear nothing consider that everything is to be feared. —Seneca.

It is easy in adversity to despise death: he has real fortitude who dares to live and be wretched. —Martial.

Poets should be law givers; that is, the boldest lyric inspiration should not chide and insult, but should announce and lead the day's work. —Emerson.

The Horrible Example



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New York Day by Day -:- By O. O. McIntyre

Thoughts While Strolling

NEW YORK, Feb. 5—Thoughts while strolling: Why is Alfred Lunt always billed ahead of Lynn Fontanne? What became of Edythe Baker? And the jabot? A dahlia named for Floyd Gibbons. One word description of George White—hoppity. Mrs. Sime Silverman is a flaming redhead, too.

Ted Woodyard, a Spencer, W. Va., boy who made good in the city. Anyway, bromo seltzer declared a dividend. Doughty old clubmen who suggest cole mutton and chutney. Every man I know named Fritz has a moon-face. And I never knew a Percival to be effeminate. Pepy de Albrew leaving the Waldorf.

Ogden Nash is responsible for that "Stag at Eve" book. Ben Hampton's son, David, is a literary agent with a mustache and everything. And I used to trot him on my knee. The sight of oilcloth always makes me think of scraping the cake icing dish. Maybe I'm exotic! Chrysler's son-in-law, Bryan Foy.

That policeman sauntering behind me for several blocks! If he touches me on the shoulder I'll scare him silly with a scream. Amon Carter, of Texas, walks faster than New Yorkers. No. 830 Park avenue, where Will Edrington, Dudley Field Malone and Irvin Cobb live. Nothing looks so tiny and forlorn as a midget.

A shop featuring heraldic porcelain. The lovely Mrs. McClelland Barclay. A stationer named Dill Pengel. Wonder if he knows Bill Lengel? Achmed Abdullah clasps a mean monocle, too. That grand photographer, Hal Phyfe, his spit curl side-burns. Mary Nash poses a little off stage, too. But gracefully.

New York takes on a feverish bustle Fridays. Preparing for the Saturday night out. Who remembers when farmers used to drive to town Saturdays for a haircut and a binge? A little necktie shop called "The Cravat Coop." Wish I could bow as courtly as Theodore of the Ritz Tower.

Mrs. Messmore Kendall, once Kitty Flynn. And what a pretty name. The fiddling of Joe Fejer and his boutonniere. The rush out of office buildings at night—like the twitch of a giant nerve. Two celebrated celibates—Charles Hanson Towne and Alexander Woolcott.

The most touching of Nature's genesities—dusk.

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Down on the miserably lit water front a riffraff crew hangs about wholesale fruit and vegetable houses. They are derelicts a great city spews from its depths—unkempt, unshaven and bearing the strong ammonia smell of cheap gin. In the section they are known as "banana chasers." They drift there after fruit ships unload their cargoes of bananas to be transported to the wholesale district in trucks. Because of the fear of tarantulas regular employes will not handle them.

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One of the "banana chasers" declares the only danger is in not seeing the tarantula in time. Once sighted, one has only to stand still and the poisonous creature glides away. But if frightened suddenly it will leap on the victim.

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He hippity-hopped through the Waldorf alley in the manner of the jackdaw, white spatted, wearing an enormous flower in his lapel and exhibiting other pronounced leanmakinisms. Steve Hannagan looked up from a capacious divan and observed: "The Waldorf still maintains its touch of old rose."

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Incidentally, while loafing in the Waldorf, a radio was broadcasting a stirring military march. Unconsciously I found myself stepping up and down a strip of carpet with unfeigned fierceness. But I was not too absorbed to hear one bell boy as he passed another, whisper: "General Debility on his way to the front!"

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Having lived most of my life in hotels, the nearness of the Waldorf provides an outlet for the nipping nostalgia now and then for the hurry and confusion of a hotel lobby. This afternoon I skipped the gutter—what's the crack?—across the way for a brief respite from the monotony of housekeeping. And it was worth the journey. In a deep leather chair I saw a delightful rustic engagingly oblivious of glances and with the elan of American back country vigor, cracking peanuts from a capacious poke and scattering shells all over one of the million dollar imported Oriental rugs. departed before one of the frock-coated and pomaded assistant managers let himself go in a set of swishes.

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By Edgar A. Guest

Just Folks

Making History

Some day in happier years to be
The troubles we are going through
Will be set down in history
For high school students to review,
And, unconcerned, some boy will tell,
"That was the time when prices fell."

And there will grow a writer wise,
In future years, beyond a doubt,
Our foolishness to criticize.
And point out every blunder out.
"Tis hard to guess," he'll say, "what men
Could have been thinking of back then."

Some sage will pen a chapter long
On human folly, such as ours,
To prove our sanest judgments wrong
And show his own superior powers.
"Fancying their golden days would last,"
He'll say: "They tried to go too fast."

And yet as they shall march along
They, too, may find it hard to know
Just what is right and what is wrong.
And what is high and what is low,
Who dreamed, before the market break,
The difference two years could make?

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Daily Bible Text— *"When the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place."—Acts, Ch. II, V. 1.*

By the Rev. F. P. Freeman, First Baptist Church, Somerville. Next text by the Rev. Chauncy Blodgett, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Nantucket.

War Enough at Home; A Celebrated Trial

By Claude G. Bowers

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APROPOS OF THE WAR activities in China, there is a curious disposition in Europe to place upon the United States the responsibility of leadership in the protests to Japan. It is a new wrinkle in the oriental diplomacy of England humbly to ask us what to do about Shanghai. There is every indication that our diplomacy in recent months has concentrated the resentment of Japan upon us; we are probably more hated by the Japanese now than any other nation on the globe.

Just what the Administration has in mind is not entirely clear, but the American people can find nothing in the situation in China remotely to justify a war. It is announced that the sole purpose in sending troops and the navy to China is to protect American lives and property.

The sane American knows that the sane way to protect American lives in communities where a fight is threatened or in progress is to remove the Americans to a place of safety. And there will be no popular demand by the American people that we go to war over an oil well. If property is damaged the owners of the property will be properly compensated.

Should Japan ignore the ultimatum—what?

Meanwhile Congress will be expected to keep a watchful eye on the movements of Secretary Stimson.

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They Are the Victims

Now that we have legislated speedily, and with practical unanimity, for the relief of the bankers, industrialists and railroads, it is to be assumed that Congress will give some thought to human beings—men, women and children, to whom relief means life.

It is just as well to put a pin in this: "Not one of the 'relief measures' of the Administration puts a thimbleful of milk in the mouth of a hungry child; not a stitch on the back of a shivering mother; not a penny in the pocket of a jobless man.

This is a nation of something more than 120,000,000 people. Of these 24,000,000 are said to be living in abject poverty—because of the lack of work. This is more than one-sixth of the population. And 12,000,000 are living on charity; and this is a tenth of the entire nation. That really is as startling as the fall in the price of stocks.

The bankers and railroads required "relief" largely because of their blunders and, in the case of the bankers, largely because of their greed. These men, women and children who are jobless are not responsible for their plight; they are the victims.

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The Two Plans Before Congress

There are two plans before Congress for the relief of these victims.

One is the measure sponsored by Senator Wagner for a prosperity loan to furnish work; and Senator La Follette has a similar measure providing for a larger loan.

The other is Senator La Follette's bill to appropriate $375,000,000 for direct relief. Whatever you may think about that do not let anyone tell you it is a "dole." It is nothing of the sort.

The Federal Government is merely called upon to do its part to prevent starvation. States, counties and municipalities have appropriated for this purpose and no human being has complained or denounced it as a "dole." These local community governments in many instances have exhausted their resources. Some are bankrupt. Most are in distress.

And the La Follette measure merely provides that, in the case of these communities, the Federal Government shall furnish the money they no longer are able to appropriate. The Government at Washington gives to no individual; it does not supervise the distribution down to the individual; it merely furnishes the money for distribution through the same relief agencies that have been distributing the money hitherto appropriated by the city or county that can do no more.

To say that one is a "dole" and the other is not a "dole," is sheer dishonesty.

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A Touch of Humor

In these days of gloom we ought to be thankful for a touch of humor. We have it in the action of a Democratic judge who has brought suit for libel because someone called him a Republican. We did not realize it is as bad as that.

But this action for damages is not without precedent.

Here is a true story:

More than a century ago in Franklin County, Indiana, a man, who had been called "an old Federalist," brought suit for libel in the courts. He was represented at the trial by James Noble, the first Senator from Indiana—an exceedingly able man. He set forth in his declaration that the description of his client as a "Federalist" was a vicious and defamatory libel, because of which his client had been brought into public disgrace until his neighbors refused to have intercourse with him.

The defendant was represented by John Test, one of the first Congressmen from the State, who set forth as a defense that it was not libelous to call a man a "Federalist."

On the day of the trial the courtroom was packed. All eyes were turned with indignation on the defendant and with compassion on the plaintiff. The first witness for the latter was called to the stand.

"Do you consider it libelous to call a man a Federalist?" Noble asked.

"I do," stormed the witness. "Which would you rather a man call you—a Federalist or a horse thief?"

"I would kill him, sir, if he called me one or the other."

"What damages do you think the defendant should pay for this libel?" asked Noble.

"A thousand dollars, at least."

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A Democrat Had a Chance

A bit alarmed by the belligerency of the witness, Test took him for the defense.

"What do you understand by a Federalist?" he asked.

"I understand a Federalist to be a Tory—an enemy of his country," bellowed the witness.

The murmurs of approval in the courtroom warned Test not to press the cross-examination.

"One more question," Noble broke in. "Would you feel safe with a Federalist at your side to face the Indians in a bush fight?"

"I would not," said the witness scornfully. "I would as soon have a red man with his rifle and his tomahawk at my side."

The evidence, though meagre, was sufficient as a peg on which to hang political arguments lasting until midnight; arguments on the fundamentals of government. The jury speedily brought in a verdict for the plaintiff and fixed the damages at a thousand dollars.

And the judge, in thanking the jury for its services, warmly congratulated it on the righteousness of its verdict.

Those were the days when a Democrat had a chance.

We submit this noble legal precedent to the attorneys for the judge who is suing because he was called a Republican: he will find it in the legal lore of Indiana.

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